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Bristol, Virginia

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Decision
Making Is a Vital
Function for Us, the
Students of '73





We Compete
and Struggle
to Try to
Achieve Our
Goals.





The Goal
May Be
to Attain
Individualism—
a Sign of
Our Generation —





Through Change
of Appearance
or Philosophy.



Happiness and
Serenity Is That
Which We
Strive For Most.





Occasional
Agonies Only
Heighten Our
Enjoyment of
Everyday Life.





Respect and
Mutual Concern
Are the Keys
to New
and Lasting
Friendships.





This Evergrowing
Unity of
Battle Students
Finds Expression
in a Spirit
of Cooperation.

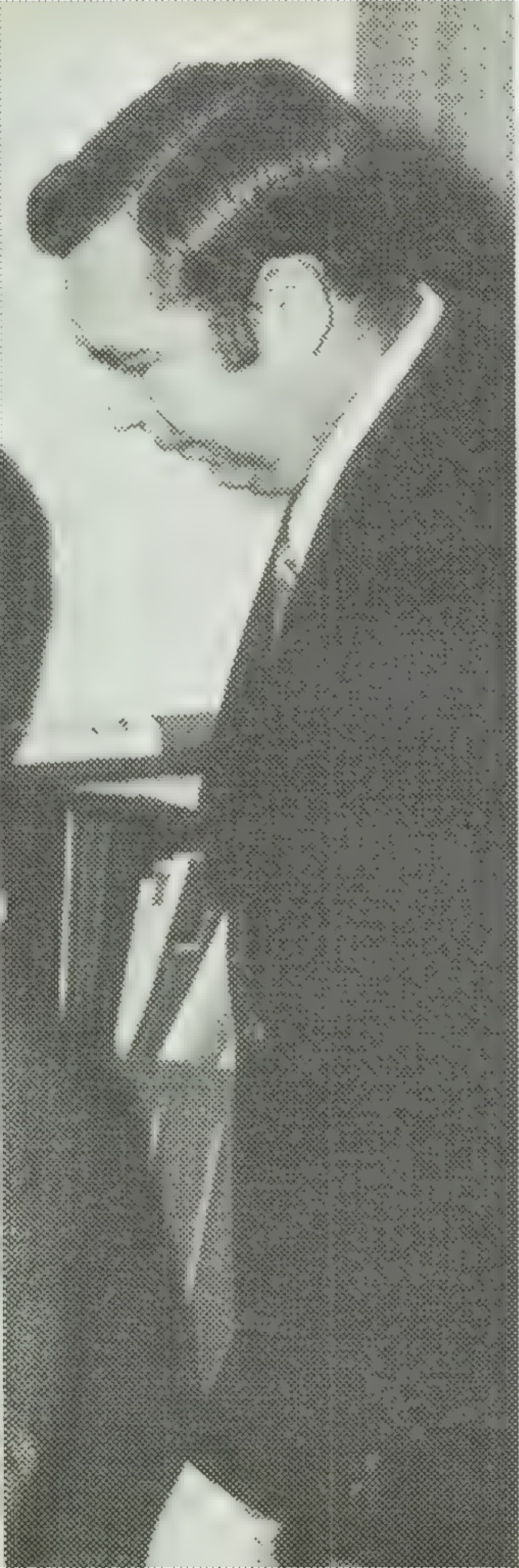


Decisions,
Competition,
Individualism,
Happiness . . .
Agony, Respect
and Unity are
the Signs
of '73.









ADMINISTRATION

AND

FACULTY

School Board and Administration



Pictured (LEFT TO RIGHT): Mr. Robert C. Barnes, Assistant Superintendent, Miss May Joe Craig, Mrs. Wayne Shelley, Mr. Wirt H. Foster. SECOND ROW: Dr. E. B. Stanley, Superintendent, Mr. Robert L. May, Mr. John A. Copenhaver, Chairman, Mr. Henry S. Snodgrass, Mr. James T. Lee, Mr. Reeves T. Barker.



Mr. Richard T. Farnsworth
Principal



Mr. James F. Rector
Assistant Principal



Mr. William I. Halstead
Assistant Principal
Sponsors B Club

Guidance Counselors, Librarians, and Secretaries



Mr. James E. Dooley
Guidance Counselor
Sports Library Club

Mrs. Jane P. Fleener
Office Secretary

Mrs. Shelah F. Gregg
Librarian
Sports Library Club

Mrs. Mary B. Kelly
Guidance Counselor

Miss Charlotte R. Widener
Office Secretary

Mrs. Janet M. Derling
Guidance Counselor



Mrs. Janet M. Derling
Guidance Counselor

Mrs. Mary B. Kelly
Guidance Counselor

Mrs. Stella I. Wise
Library Secretary



Mr. Rector and Miss Widener sign in students

Faculty



Mr. Stokes and Mr. Garland enjoy a coffee break



Miss Susan E. Austin
Latin
Sponsors Latin Club



Mr. Ralph C. Booher, Jr.
Government
Sponsors Key Club



Mr. James N. Butcher
English
Sponsors Pep Club,
Football, Wrestling



Mrs. Lucille D. Butt
Sociology, History
Sponsors F. T. A.



Miss Julia A. Carmichel
P. E., Health, Driver Education
Sponsors G. A. A.



Mr. James A. Cole
Agriculture
Horticulture
Sponsors F. T. A.



Mrs. Jean H. Collins
Mathematics
Sponsors Bible Club



Mr. Charles F. Copenhaver
General Mechanics
Sponsors F. F. A.

Faculty



Miss Sheila Cox
Mathematics, Algebra



Mrs. Lou A. Crabtree
History
Sponsors Senior Class



Miss Rhoda F. Craig
Typewriting, Shorthand
Sponsors Bible Club



Miss Rebecca J. Cuddy
English, Reading
Sponsors Alpha Tri-Hi Y



Mrs. Dorothy D. Daughtre
Biology
Sponsors Senior Science Club



Mrs. Diane E. Deahl
Mathematics



Mrs. Joan P. Dingu
Science, Chemistry



Miss Susan E. Edmondson
World Geography, Citizenship
Sponsors Varsity Cheerleader



Coach Pridemore made a BIG mistake!!!



Coach Martin watches game

Faculty



Mr. Jackie R. Garland
History
Sponsors Junior Class

Mr. Joe A. Garrett
P. E., Health, Driver Education

Mrs. Bernice W. Hernandez
Spanish
Sponsors Spanish Club

Mr. Michael D. Homshell
Instrumental Music
Sponsors Band

Mrs. Emma L. Farris
English
Sponsors Forensics

Mrs. Margaret H. French
Office Machines, Typewriting
Bookkeeping
Sponsors F. B. L. A.

Mr. Henry E. Green
History
Coaches Football, Baseball

Mrs. Bertha L. Henderson
English

Mrs. Merry E. Jennings
English
Sponsors Pop Club, Forensics

Mrs. Patricia L. King
P. E., Health
Sponsors Junior Varsity
Cheerleaders



Miss Scott plans homecoming decorations



Mr. William B. Lemon
P. E.
Sponsors Junior Civitan

Mr. James W. Loggans
Mathematics, Algebra, Physics
Sponsors Physics Club

Miss Juliette D. Martin
Home Economics
Sponsors F. H. A.

Mr. William M. Locke
Science
Sponsors Senior Science Club

Mrs. Linda H. Long
Science
Sponsors Civettes

Mr. John W. Martin
English



Mrs. Long in classroom



Mrs. Long catches camera's eye

Faculty



Mr. Al. B. ... Mr. H. ...



Mr. D. ... Mr. E. ...
Mr. F. ... Mr. G. ...
Mr. H. ... Mr. I. ...
Mr. J. ... Mr. K. ...

Mr. L. ... Mr. M. ...
Mr. N. ... Mr. O. ...
Mr. P. ... Mr. Q. ...

Mr. R. ... Mr. S. ...
Mr. T. ... Mr. U. ...
Mr. V. ... Mr. W. ...

Mr. X. ... Mr. Y. ...
Mr. Z. ... Mr. A. ...
Mr. B. ... Mr. C. ...

Mr. D. ... Mr. E. ...
Mr. F. ... Mr. G. ...
Mr. H. ... Mr. I. ...

Mrs. J. ... Mrs. K. ...
Mrs. L. ... Mrs. M. ...
Mrs. N. ... Mrs. O. ...

Faculty



Mrs. Phyllis P. Minnick
Art
Sponsors Art Club

Mr. John Peltier
Algebra
Sponsors Key Club

Mr. Jeffrey L. Minton
English
Sponsors Debate Society
Sophomore Class

Mr. William H. Phelps
English Speech and Drama
Sponsors Dramatics

Mrs. Shirley C. Ogle
English

Mr. Don D. Pridemore
Driver Education
Sponsors B Club Baseball

Mrs. Nancy P. Parker
Algebra, Analy

Miss Betty L. Puckett
Geometry



Mrs. Dingus encourages class to take notes.



Mr. Stokes hands out report card

Faculty



Miss Phyllis J. Bathfle
English
Advises N. H. S.



Mr. John P. Robbins
Mathematics
Coaches Football



Mrs. Patricia P. Robbins
P. E.
Sponsors Junior Class



Miss Susan F. Scott
Home Economics
Sponsors F. H. A.



Mr. Stephen M. Smeltzer
General Business, Economics
Government
Sponsors Junior Civitan



Mrs. Teresa D. Stephenson
History, Government
Sponsors Junior Class



Mr. William S. Stephenson
P. E., Health
Coaches Basketball, Baseball



Mr. Thomas R. Stokes
English
Sponsors Forensics



Mrs. Doty lends a helping hand



Mrs. King and Mrs. Robbins observe student participation in class



Mr. Ronald H. Tallman
History
Coaches Football, Wrestling

Miss Anne P. Vermillion
English
Sponsors Phoenix Staff

Mr. Howard C. Webb
Driver Education
Coaches Basketball, Golf

Miss Virginia A. Taylor
Chorus
Sponsors Choral Activities

Mr. Robert C. Walton
Agriculture, Mechanics
Sponsors F F A

Miss Virginia A. Woods
Reading
Sponsors Forensics



Choir - Mrs. Taylor directs



Chess - Stephens directs chess

Custodians and Cafeteria Personnel



Mr. and Mrs. Ray Stoots, CENTER, and Family, Mr. and Mrs. L. Childress, Mr. and Mrs. Stoots, (LEFT TO RIGHT)



Pictured (LEFT TO RIGHT): Ray Stoots, Darryl Childress, Randall Vance



Pictured (LEFT TO RIGHT): Lilly Bailey, Irene Latham, Ollie Farley, Katherine Hall, SECOND ROW: Sarah Malcolm, Jan Shankel, Hazel Puckett, Lucille Hayden



The person to whom the 1975 PHOENIX is dedicated was named Outstanding Young Educator of the Year in Washington County in 1972 by the Abingdon Jaycees. During the twelve years she has taught at John S. Battle High School, she has stressed the importance of independent thinking and excellence in performance on the part of the student. With her help and encouragement, students are inspired to participate in tournaments and creative writing contests. One year her students entered the state creative writing contest in Charlottesville and made a "clean sweep" of first place, winning the top honor in poetry, short story, and creative writing. Another example of her consistent effectiveness as a teacher is how well prepared her students are for college English. Nearly all of them find English less difficult than any other subject they take in college.

She received her Bachelor of Arts degree at Stetson University and did graduate work at East Tennessee State University and the University of Virginia. While teaching at Battle, she has been advisor to the SCA—a coach for tournaments and debate—and a consultant for the state creative writing contest. She is presently advisor to the National Honor Society, does home-bound teaching, and serves on the state evaluation committee.

She is a leader of minds and a guide of the students, bringing new materials and methods of teaching to her classes, opening minds to new ideas, and never losing sight of the purpose of English. Because of her loyalty and unceasing efforts, the PHOENIX staff proudly dedicates the 1975 PHOENIX to Miss Phylliss J. Ratliffe.





STUDENTS

Senior Class Officers



PICTURED LEFT TO RIGHT, TOP TO BOTTOM: Mike Bailey, President; Steve Robinson, Vice President; Carolyn Gallimore, Secretary; Junior Jesse, Reporter; Kathy Gallimore, Treasurer; Ronald Henrice, Historian; Gail Shankel, Chaplain; Bryan Yoho, Sgt-at-Arm.

The year of 1975 was exciting for the Seniors. Most students took part in a variety of activities which made the year most valuable. A Steering Committee was formed to plan various activities throughout the year, such as a senior dance, senior picnic, and a breakfast after the prom.

W.O.P.F. sponsored a Senior of the Week Contest which gave honors to 10 seniors. They were Ike Anderson, Mike Bailey, Vernon Edwards, Kathy Fraser, Carolyn Gallimore, Kathy Koch, Blaine Morris, Lyle Parker, Steve Robinson, and Jack Wagner.

As the year continued, students began to look toward the future, deciding what careers might be valuable. Some chose colleges while others chose jobs. The highlights of the year were the prom held at the V.F.W., and of course, graduation.

Time quickly flew by, and the year finally came to a close. We started realizing what it meant to be a senior. We were about to say good bye, and realized that the year went by much too fast and parting was harder than expected. We realized we must face the world as young adults for the first time and the thought didn't sound as pleasant as before. The class was sponsored by Mrs. Lori Crabtree.

Seniors



Ike Anderson



Liz Anderson



Becky Anderson



Jerry Arnold



Shonda Atkins



Mike Bailey



Phil Barker



Joyce Barker



Randy Barker

CHARLES ISAAC ANDERSON — Key Club 10-12, Chaplain 11, Science Club 9-12, SCA 8-12, Reporter 10, Vice-President 11, President 12, B Club 11-12, French Club 8-12, Physics Club 12, Class Sgt-at Arms 8, Class President 11, JV Baseball 9, JV Football 9, Varsity Football 11-12, Varsity Track 11, National Honor Society 10-12, Senior Superlative — Best All Around, Who Who in American High Schools 12

ELIZABETH LISA ANDERSON — French Club 8-10, 4-H Club 8, 9, Reporter 8, Secretary 9, FFA 9-11, Tri-Hi-Y 11, 12, Treasurer 12, FTA Chaplain 9, Secretary 10, Vice-President 11, President 12, FFA 12, SCA 12

REBECCA LOUISE ANDERSON — French Club 9-10, 4-H 8, 9, FFA 9-11, Tri-Hi-Y 11, 12, 12, FTA 9-12, Chaplain 9, Treasurer 12, SCA Secretary 11, Treasurer 12, FFA 10-12, Sweetheart 10, Reporter 12

JERRY WAYNE ARNOLD — FFA 9-12, Degrees of FFA 69-72

SHONDA KAYE ATKINS — Bible Club 12, FBIA Sgt-at Arms 12

MICHAEL HARRY BAILEY — Science Club 8-10, SCA 9-12, Key Club 10-12, B Club 11, 12, Football 8-10, Basketball 8-12, Track 9-12, Most Improved Basketball Player 11, Senior Superlative — Most Popular

DANIEL PHILIP BARKER — Civilians 9-10, Bible Club 9-10, SCA 11-12

ESTER JOYCE BARKER — FFA 8, 9, FBIA 12, Parliamentarian 12, Bible Club 12

RANDY WARREN BARKER — Band 8, FFA 9, DE 10-12, Baseball 8, Track 9, Football 8-10

Seniors



Barry Bays



Ava Blaylock



Debbie Bolling



Gary Boothe



Teresa Bott



Danny Bowman

BARRY FRANCES BAYS — Library Club 9-10
Civitan 11-12 Bible 12

AVA JOAN BLAYLOCK — Bible Club 9-12 Nurse's
Aid Certificate 11

DEBORAH ELLEN BOLLING — Band 8-11 Bible
Club 9-12, Pep Club 10-12, Gym Show 10 G.A.A.
12

GARY WAYNE BOOTHE — S.C.A. 8-9 B Club
9-12, Spanish Club 9-11, Sgt-at Arms 10-11 Senior
Science 11, Fellowship of Christian Athletes 9-10
Baseball 8-12, All District 9-11, "Most Outstanding
Athlete" 11, Football 9-12 Co-captain 12 Basketball
9-12, Track School record in shot and discus 9-12
May Court 9-10

TERESA JOY BOTT — N.H.S. 10-12 Latin Club
11-12, Senior Science Club 12 Library Club 12 F.H.
A 8, 9 Homeroom treasurer 11 Gym Show 10

DANIEL LYNN BOWMAN — Latin Club 11, Physics Club 12 Re-act 12 Science
Club 10 Perfect Attendance 11

REBECCA ANN BRASWELL — French Club 8-9, F.T.A. 8, Modern Concepts Club
12

PHIL LYNN BREWER — Science Club 8-10, Latin Club 11 Bible Club 12

LAURA ELIZABETH BROTBECK — Transfer student 12 Tri-Hi-Y - F.H.A. 12 His
tory



Rebecca Braswell



Phil Brewer



Laura Brotbeck

Seniors



Mike Buckner



Janet Burnette



Teresa Byington



Kay Carter



Janet Cappalli



Debbie Collins



Fred Collins



Steve Compton

EDWARD MICHAEL BUCKNER — FFA 9-12, Second Vice-President 9, Vice-President 10, President 11, Parliamentarian 12, Leadership Award 11
JANET FORTNER BURNETTE — Bible Club 8-12, officer 11, 12, Songleader 12, Reporter 12, FHA 9-12, Reporter 10, Chaplain 11, Parliamentarian 12, Tri-Hi-Y 11, 12, Chorus 12, Library Club 10, Debate 0, SCA 10, 12, Athletic Award 10, Gym Show 10, Senior Superlative — Most School Spirited
TERESA LOIS BYINGTON — Spanish Club 8-9, Annual Staff 11, Tri-Hi-Y 12, FTA 12, Band 8-12, Gym Show 9, Concepts Club 12, All-County Band 8-12, All Regional Band 10-12
FRANCES KAY CARTER — French Club 9, 10, GAA 11, Tri-Hi-Y 11, 12, World Service Chairman 11-12, FBLA — 12, Senior Superlative — Most Likely to Succeed



Barbara Countiss

JANET LYNN CAPPALLI — Transfer student 11, GAA 11-12, NHS 11, 12, Science Club 11, 12, Physics Club 12, Annual Staff 12, SCA Alternate 12
DEBORAH SUE COLLINS — Annual Staff 9, 10, GAA 8-12, President 11, NHS 10, 11, Bible Club 8-12, Pep Club 11, 12, Spanish Club 8, 9, JV Cheerleader 9, Captain 10, Varsity Cheerleader 11, Captain 12, Class Secretary 8, Class Reporter 11, Class President 10, May Court 10, SCA 8-12, Gym Show 9, 10, Homecoming Queen 11, Senior Superlative — Most Popular
FRED C. COLLINS — Science Club 8, FFA 9-12, Bible Club 9
STEPHEN LEE COMPTON — Photography Club 9, 10, Senior Science Club 9, 10
BARBARA KAY COUNTISS — FHA 9, 10, Recreation Leader 10, Senior Science 12, FHA Junior Degree — 10

Seniors



Juanita Burress



Wanda Clawson



Willie Cruseberry



Donna Dean



Sheila Denton



Debbie Dickenson

JUANITA BURRESS

WANDA CLAWSON

WILLIAM PAUL CRUSEBERRY — F F A 9-10
Voca Club 11-12

DONNA MARIE DEAN — Transfer Student 1972

SHEILA YVONNE DENTON — Bible Club 8, French
Club 8-10, Cosmoettes 11, F F A 12, Band 8-12
All County Band 8-12, All Regional Band West 10-12

DEBRA DIANNE DICKENSON — F F A 10
G A A 10, Latin 10-12

CAROLINE ADAMS DISHMAN

WANDA DISHNER — F B I A 11-12 Secretary
12, Annual Staff 12, N H S 11, 12 Secretary 12
Bible Club 11, Second Place in Va. Highlands
Typing I Contest 10, Third Place in Washington
County Typing II Contest 11, First Place in Va.
Highlands Typing II Contest 11

JOHNNY ALBERT DURHAM — D F C A 12



Caroline Dishmar



Wanda Dishner



Johnny Durham

Seniors



Peggy Durham

PEGGY DIANE DURHAM — D E 11-12 Band 8

DONALD KEITH DYE — Junior Civitan 9, Key Club 10-12, B Club 10-12, Vice-President 12, Physics Club 12, All Big 5 Baseball 11, Senior Superlative — Most Optimistic

FAYE EASTERLY

YVONNE EDWARDS — French 11, 12, 9, Bible Club 9, G A A 9-12 Chaplain 11, Secretary 12, F H A 11-12, Secretary 12, Girls Basketball 10-11, Co-captain 11, Girls Volleyball 10, S C A 10, 12, Secretary of Sophomore class, Secretary of Junior class, Gym Show 10-12, Homecoming Court 12, Annual Staff 10-12, Editor 12, Senior Superlative — Miss Senior

CURTIS LEE FELTY — D E 10-12

MICHAEL LEE FITZGERALD — F F A 9-10 D E C A 12

EARL DOUGLAS FLEENOR — S C A 8-12 F F A 9-10 V I C A 11, 12

MONA LEAH FLEENOR — P T S A 9-12 Vice-President 12, Washington County Council Delegate 9-12, Holston District Delegate 9-12, S C A 8-12, Latin Club 10, 11, Pep Club 11-12, Tri-Hi-Y 12, F T A 11, 12 Vice-President 12, 4 H 10-12, Clothing Award 12, Pennsylvania Exchange Trn



Donny Dye



Faye Easterly



Vonnie Edwards



Curtis Felty



Mike Fitzgerald



Doug Fleenor



Edwina Fleenor



Mona Fleenor

Seniors



Kathy Fraser



Mike Fuller



Carolyn Gallimore



Kathy Gallimore



Cheryl Garrett



Iwila Garrett

KATHLEEN EVELYN FRASER — NHS 11-12, Tri-Hi-Y 11, Class Treasurer 11, Science Club Secretary 12, Physics Club Sgt at Arms 12, Concepts Club Sgt at Arms 12, S.C.A. 10-12, N.E.D.T. Award 10, French II Award 10, Senior Superlative — Most Studious

MIKE FULLER — S.C.A. 8-12, Civitan Club 9-11, D.E. Club 12

CAROLYN ELIZABETH GALLIMORE — G.A.A. 8, Bible Club 8-11, Treasurer 10, Pep Club 11, Tri-Hi-Y 10-12, Civinettes 10-12, Vice President 12, Spanish Club 8-9, S.C.A. 8-12, Class Secretary 12, F.H.A. 9-12, Chaplain 10, Treasurer 11, President 12, F.H.A. Smywaseo Federation Parliamentarian 11, Vice President 12, Homecoming Court 12, Senior Superlative — Most Courteous

KATHY NADINE GALLIMORE — Spanish 8-12, F.H.A. 12, Bible Club 8-12, Tri-Hi-Y 10-12, NHS 10-12, S.C.A. 8-12, Forensics 11, Class Treasurer 12, All County Band 9-12, Most Improved Other Woodward 11

CHERYL GWEN GARRETT — Bible Club 11-12, 4-H 11, F.T.A. 12, Flag Corps 12

IWIHA DAWN GARRETT — G.A.A. 9, 10, NHS 10-12, Tri-Hi-Y 9, 10, Secretary 10, Spanish Club 8-10, Treasurer 9, Vice President 10, Civinettes 12, N.E.D.T. Award 10

THERESA ANN GENTRY — Bible Club 8-12, F.F.A. 11, S.C.A. 10

BRENDA KAY GOODSON — F.H.A. 8-10, F.F.A. 11, Bible Club 8-12, Reporter in Nurses Aid for V.I.C. Club 12, Presidential Award 10

DEBORAH GUNNING — J.V. Cheerleader 10, Varsity Cheerleader 12, 1st Runner-Up Homecoming Court 12, G.A.A. 8-12



Teresa Gentry



Brenda Goodson



Debbie Gunning

Seniors



Beverly Hanger



Donna Harley



Pam Harrison



Dean Harrison



Steve Harvey



Ronnie Hawk



Debra Hayden



Debbie Harris

BEVERLY KAYE HANGER — Bible Club 11-12, Secretary 12, Flag Corps 12, Captain 12, FFA 12, SCA 8-12, 3rd Place Art 11, Honorable Mention in Mary Teilder Contest 11

DONNA JEAN HARLEY — Bible Club 8, 9, French Club 8, 9, FFA 10-12, Tri-Hi-Y Parliamentarian 12, SCA 8-12, Pep Club 10, Concepts Club Secretary 12, All Country Band 8-12, All Regional Band 10-12, Typing I Award 11, Most Outstanding Band Member 10, Drum Major 11

PAMELA JANE HARRISON — Tri-Hi-Y 9, SCA 9-10, French Club 9-11, Historian 10, Treasurer 11, NHS 10-12, May Court 8, Head Majorette 9-12, All-County Band 8-12, All Regional Band 9-12

JIMMY DEAN HARRISON — SCA 8-12, FFA 9-11, Track 10, Football 11, VICA 12, Presidential Award 9

STEVE MICHAEL HARVEY — Baseball 11-12, B Club 12, Art Club 12, SCA 8-12

RONNIE LEE HAWK — B Club 11, 12, FFA 11, 12, SCA 8-12, Civitan 11, 12, Science Club 10, Football 8, 9, 11

DEBRA LEE HAYDEN — Library Club 9-12, Secretary-Treasurer 10, Annual Staff 12, FFA 12, FBLA Vice President 12

WILLIAM BILLSMAN HEARTWELL — SCA 8-12



Will Hartwell

Seniors



Mike Henry



Shelly Hobbs



Debbie Holden



Darlene Huckaby



Mike Huffman



David Hunsaker

MICHAEL LYNN HENRY — FFA 8-12
 MARY SHEILEY HOBBS — GAA 10-12 French Club 8
 DEBORAH CAROL HOLDEN — GAA 10-12 Bible Club 8-12, Tri-Hi Y 11, 12, Chaplain 12 Girl Basketball 11-12 FFA 12 French Club 9-10 All County Band 9
 BRENDA DARLENE HUCKABY — Bible Club 8 FFA 9 Art Club 11 SC A 8-10
 MICHAEL B. HUFFMAN — Spanish Club
 DAVID HUNSAKER
 SHARON PENNEY JOHNSON — Lead 8-10 Marquette 10
 LINDA GAIL JONES — FFA 8 Bible 10, All County Band 10 Physical Fitness Award 10 Band Letter and Two Bars 9-11 Volleyball 10
 WILLIAM CHARLES KELLY — FFA 8-12



Sharon Johnson



Linda Jones



Charles Kelly

Seniors



Theresa Kilby

HERESA JANE KILBY — French Club 8-9 Tri-Hi-Y 9-12 President 11, 12, FFA 12 SCA 11-12 Physical Fitness Award 10

KATHLEEN ANNE KOCH — Science Club 8-12 Treasurer 12, GAA 10-12, SCA 8-12, Reporter 10 Annual Staff 9-10 Tri-Hi-Y 10, Latin Club 10-12, Reporter 10 President 11 Girls Basketball 10-12, Co-captain 11, Captain 12, Girls Track 11, NHS 10-12 President 12 Forensics 10-12 Physical Educational Award 8-10, World History Award 10, Spelling Award 1st in District 10-11 Sociology Award 11 King Fellow Scholarship 11 GAA High Bowling Average Trophy 10-12 Best Offense Basketball 11, Senior Superlative — Most Athletic

GALE WAYNE LEONARD — Key Club 10-12 NHS 10-12, Physics Club 12, Concepts Club 12 SCA NEFT Award 10 Baseball 10-12, Senior Superlative — Most Physicist

JANET LEONARD

EMILY FAYE LUNSFORD — JH 10-12 Bible Club 11-12 VICA Club 11-12 Pop Club 12

KAROL DEAN MARSH — FFA 9-10 VICA 11

CLAUDIA MARIE MARTIN — GAA 10 DE 11, 12, Trojan Mascot 11, 12 Girls

Football 10

DEAN KISER

BERNARD LEONARD



Dean Kiser



Kathy Koch



Bern Leonard



Gale Leonard



Janet Leonard



Emily Faye Lunsford



Dean Marsh 41



Claudia Martin

Seniors



Velma Mays



Cathy McCauley



Wanda McCracken



Vortice McNew



Cathy Meade



Kemper Meade

VELMA G. MAYS — G. A. A. 8-12 French Club 8-9, Bible Club 8, 10, 12 Cymettes 10 F. H. A. 10 S. C. A. 9, 10, Gym Show 9, 10, Pep Club 9, 10 2 Annual Staff 11-12

CATHY LORETTA McCAULEY — French Club 8-9, Bible Club 8, 9-10 N. H. S. 10-12 Tri-Hi-Y 11, 12, F. H. A. 9, 12 Corresponding Secretary 11 Vice President 12 State Degree 12, N. F. D. F. Award 10, Washington County Typing Contest, 2nd Place Typing 1, Trophy 11

WANDA McCracken

VORTICE McNEW — F. H. A. 12 4-H 8 Bible Club 8-12, Pep Club 12 G. A. A. 12 Science Club 1

CATHY MARZELLA MEADE — G. A. A. 10-12 F. B. L. A. 12, F. H. A. 12 F. F. A. 12, Bible Club 12 Tri-Hi-Y 11, 12, Reporter 12, S. C. A. 11, 12, Girl Basketball Team 11 Physical Fitness Award 10

KEMPER NEAL MEADE — Wrestling 8-12 3rd Place in Regional 10 2nd Place in Regional, 11, F. F. A. 11, 12, Vice President 12 Track 11-12 Civitan 9-12 Science Club 8-9, Library Club 9-10 B. Club 10-12

JERRY MESSICK

CATHY METCALF

PEGGY MINNICK



Jerry Messick



Cathy Metcalf



Peggy Minnick

Seniors



Craig Milhorn



Billy Moore



Mike Moore



Steve Morefield



Blaine Morris



Robin Mullins



Daniel Morenings



Marie Mullins



Jeff Mumpower

SAMUEL CRAIG MILHORN — Science Club 8-9 Civitans 9-12, B Club 10-12, Bible Club 11, Spanish Club 8, 9, Baseball 9, Letterman in Golf 10-12

WILLIAM E. MOORE — Civitan 10-12, French Club 9, Baseball 8-12, Bible Club 12, Football 8

MICHAEL MOORE

STEVE MOREFIELD

BLAINE ALLEN MORRIS — Spanish Club 8 Science Club 9-12, President 11, 12, Basketball 9-10, B Club 10-12, Key Club 10-12, Football 9-12, Track 11, 12, N.H.S. 11, 12, S.C.A. 10-12, Physics Club 12, N.E.D.T. Award 10, 2nd Place Biology Science Fair 11, Biology II Award 11, Senior Superlative — Mr. Senior

ROBIN LEE MULLINS — Latin Club 9, 10, S.C.A. 8-12, Golf 11-12

DANIEL MORENINGS — Transfer 12

ROSE MARIE MULLINS — F.H.A. 9, 10, Latin Club 12, Annual Staff 11, 12, All County Band 9, 10

JEFF RAY MUMPOWER — B Club 10-12, Key Club 12, Wrestling 10, 11, Football 8-12, Baseball 10, Track 10-12

Seniors



Sue Murphy



Betty Murray



Rose Marie Nunez



Gail Ogle



David Owens



Nancy Owens

SUE ELLEN MURPHY — F H A 9-12, Historian 9, Science Club 11-12, N H S 11-12, Cymettes 10-12, Secretary 12, Latin Club 8, Bible Club 9, N F D F Award 10

BETTY MURRAY

ROSE MARIE NUNEZ — Band 8-10, G A A 8-10, 4 H 8-12, Bible Club 8-12, F R I A 12, F H A 8-9, Participated in All County Band 8-10

GAIL OGLE — N H S 10-12, Spanish Club 9-12, Science Club 8-12, S C A 10-12, Cymettes 11-12, Annual Staff 8-10

DAVID ALLEN OWENS — F F A 11

NANCY CAROLYN OWENS — F H A 9, G A A 11, Girls Gym Show 9-10, Girls Basketball Manager 11, Chorus 11, Pep Club 12, D E C A 12, Treasurer 12

WILEY LYLE PARKER — Science Club 9-11

2, Vice President 11, Parliamentarian 12, Key Club 10-12, President 12, P H S 12, Treasurer 12, S C A 9-12, N H S 10-12, 4 H 12, President 12, French Award 9, Biology Award 10, Physical Education Award 10, N F D F Award 10, King College Scholastic Achievement Award 11, Senior Superlative — Most Studious, Basket 11-12, Best Sportsmanship Award 11, Football 9, Junior Class Parliamentarian, United States History Award 11

DONALD ALAN PERRYMAN — Band 8-9, Junior Varsity Baseball 8, 9

GLENDA FAYE PETERS — F H A 9-11, D E C A 12, Pep Club 12



Lyle Parker



Alan Perryman



Glenda Peters

Seniors



Janette Pippin

JANETTE MARIE PIPPIN — JH 8-12, Secretary 9, FFA 11, 12, Reporter 12, Bible Club 12

GARY DWAYNE PLUM

CAROLYN ANN POSTON

KAREN PULLON — SCA 8-12

DONNA CAROL RAMSEY — CAA 10, D F 12, Pep Club 12

SCOTTY HARRISON RASNAKE — Key Club 9-12, B Club 9-12, Treasurer 12, Science Club 8-10, President 9, Bible Club 8, 9, SCA 8-12, Class Sgt-at-Arms 9, Class Vice President 10, Baseball 8-12, Honorable Mention all SW District 10, Basketball 8-12, Honorable Mention All Big 5 11, Track 8-12, Football 8-12, All SW District, 2nd Team All SW Virginia Team

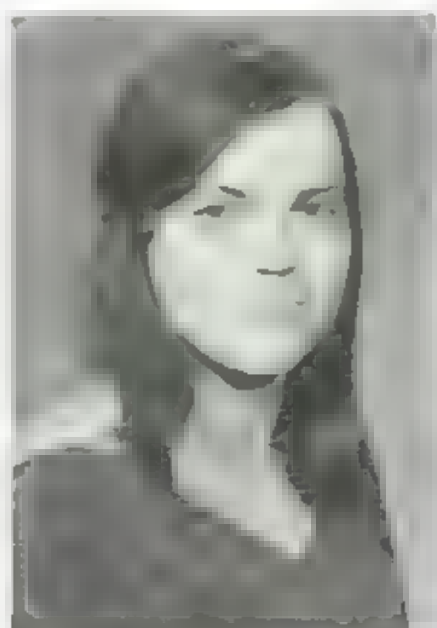
DEWEY LEE RATLIFF — VICA Club 11, 12

TERRY REECE

VERA REED — FFA 11, 12, VICA Club 12, Sweetheart 12, Bible Club 11, 12



Gary Plum



Carol Poston



Karen Pullon



Donna Ramsey



Scotty Rasnake



Dewey Rathliff



Terry Reece



Vera Reed

Seniors



Patsy Rice



Larry Roark



Peggy Roark



JoAnn Robinson



Steve Robinson



Sammy Rock

PATSY NAOMI RICE — FFA 11, 12, VFA 11, FBLA 12, 4H 8-12, Bible Club 12

LARRY WAYNE ROARK — Science Club 9, VFA President 9, FFA 10, DE Club 12

PEGGY JO ROARK — FFA 8, 9, Bible Club 8, 9, 10, 12, FFA 11, Reporter 11, DE Club 12

JO ANN ROBINSON — Bible Club 8-10, Latin Club 10, FFA Club 10, FBLA Club 12, Reporter 12, Band 8-12, Pep Club 8, 9, Senior Superlative — Cutest Couple

STEVEN CRAIG ROBINSON — Civitan 9, 10, Key Club 10-12, Latin Club 9-11, Chaplain 11, B Club 12, NHS 11, 12, Physics Club 12, Baseball 9, 10, Basketball 9-12, Best Defensive Basketball 11, NFDT Award 10, Senior Class Vice President, Senior Representative — Friendliest

SAMUEL DAVID ROCK — FFA 10-12, 2nd Vice President 10, Vice President 11, Secretary 12, Star Green Hand Award, Dairy Judging Team, Young Farmers of America

JOHNNY WADE ROSS — B-Club 9-12, French Club 9-12, Civitan 10, 11, Basketball 8-12, Football 8-10, 12, Manager 11, Baseball 8-12, All Big 5, All Southwest District 10

DEBORAH ELAINE RUBLE — Spanish Club 8, 9, Bible Club 9-10

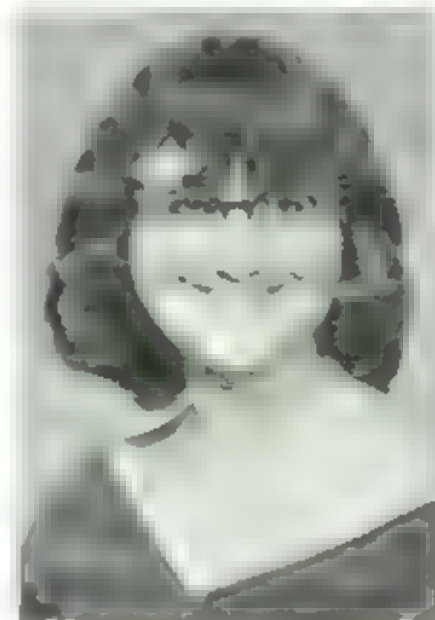
MARGARET ANN RYAN — FFA 11, Spanish 12, Perfect Attendance Certificate 11



Johnny Ross



Debbie Ruble



Margaret Ryan

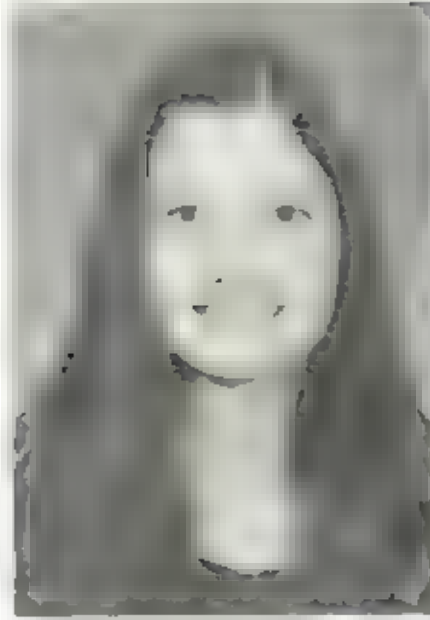
Seniors



Gail Shankel



Darlene Sharrett



Lyn Sheffield



Linda Shortt



Nelson Shortt



Rita Slate



Angela Smith



Bo Snodgrass

ELIZABETH GAIL SHANKEL — French Club 8, 9 Bible Club 8, 9 Civnettes 10-12 President 12, F T A 10-12, Reporter 11, F H A 9, Class Chaplain 12 Senior Superlative — Best All Around

MARY DARLENE SHARRETT — F H A 8, 9 Recreation Leader 9, Library Staff 9, Class Secretary 9, Tri-Hi-Y 9, J V Cheerleader 10, Civnettes 10 G A A 10 S C A 10-12 Varsity Cheerleader 11 Pep Club 11, Bible Club 11, May Court 9, Winter Sports Court 1st Runner-up 11, Homecoming Court 1st Runner-up 12

EMILY ANN SHEFFIELD — Transfer 11 G A A 11, 12 Science 12 N H S 11, 12, Vice-President 12 Concepts Club 12, Annual Staff 12, Sports and Ads Manager, Spanish Club 11, Basketball 11, 12, Co-captain 11, 12, Most Valuable Defense Player 11 Physics Club Sweetheart 11, Track 10-12 2nd Place

Region III Junior Olympic Hurdles, 3rd Place Regional High Jump, 1st Place State Jr Olympics High Jump and Hurdles, 3rd Place Region 6 Jr Olympics High Jump, 3th Place Regional 6 Olympics Hurdles

LINDA SHORTT

NELSON SHORTT

RITA MASON SLATE — Bible Club 12 F H A 12 4 H S

ANGELA LFA SMITH — Tri-Hi-Y 11, 12, Secretary 11, Vice President 12, F T A 10, 12 Parliamentarian 12, N H S 11, 12 Band Secretary 12 All County Band 8-12 Senior Superlative — Most Friendly

LARRY "BO" SNODGRASS — Key Club 10-12 Secretary 11, 12 B-Club 9-12, Secretary

HOLLY SPARF — Transfer student 12, Tri-Hi-Y, Sr Science Club, Bible Club, Pep Club



Holly Sparf

Seniors



Darrell Sproles



Adina Stanley



Sherry Stratton



Gail Swift



Mike Taylor



Ramona Thomas

DARRELL WAYNE SPROLES — Science Club 8, French Club 9-10, F.F.A. 12, Track Team 9, Football 8-12, Physical Fitness Award 10, Perfect Attendance Certificate 11

ADINA ROSE STANLEY — C.A.A. 9-12, S.C.A. 10, Pep Club 10, 11, Tri-Hi-Y 9, 10, French Club 8-10, Cheerleader 9-12, Co-Captain 10-12, Gym Show 9-10-12, Christmas Play 12, 3 Act Play 11

SHERRY LUCILLE STRATTON — J.H. Club 8, 9, V.I.C.A. Club 12, Physical Fitness Award 10, **GAIL SWIFT** — Band 8, Bible Club 9-10, Spanish Club 10, F.F.A. 11, 12, Forensics 11, Library Club 9

HOWARD MICHAEL TAYLOR — Civitan 12

RAMONA EILEEN THOMAS — F.F.A. 8, 9, D.E. Club 10-12, Bible Club 11-12, N.E.D.T. Award 10

KATHERINE ANN THOMPSON — Civettes 12

CELESTIE CANTER TUTTLE — F.F.A. 8-9, Science Club 8, 9, C.A.A. 10-12, S.C.A. 10-11, Bible Club 9, Pep Club 9, Library Club 10-12, President 10, May Court 10, F.F.A. 11-12, Historian 11, Tri-Hi-Y 11-12, Homecoming Court 11, Gym Show 9, Mary Lula Tedder Art Award 11, Senior Superlative — Most Talented

BARBARA VANOVER



Kathy Thompson



Cecile Tuttle



Barbara Vanover



Bonnie Vanover

BONNIE MARIE VANOVER — Bible Club 11, 12, FFA 11, 4-H 11, 12, Pep Club 12, Physical Fitness Award 10
STEVE ALLEN VICKERS — B Club 10-12, Science Club 9, Spanish Club 8, 9, Golf Team 10-12, Civitan Club 9-12, Bible Club 12
JACK LEACH WAGNER — Science Club 8-12, Key Club 12, NHS 10-12, Annual Staff 10, Physics 12, All County Band 8-12
TERESA LYNNE WALTON — Spanish Club 8, 9, GAA 10, FFA 9, Pep Club 11, Civinettes 10-12, Reporter 11-12, Alternate Cheerleader 11
LINDA SUE WARDEN — French Club 8, 9, Latin Club 10, Pep Club 8, 9, Bible Club 8, 9, Debate Society 9-11, Secretary 11, NHS 10-12, Executive Council 11, Tutoring 11, 12, NEDT Award 10, English Award 8, 2nd Place Forensics 11, Senior Superlative Most Pessimistic

CATHY WATSON

PATTY ANN WEAVER — Bible Club 11-12, FB Club 11-12, Treasurer 11-12, Chaplain 12

RITA JOAN WHICKER — NHS 11-12, French Club 8-10, Bible Club 8-10, Tr 10-Y 10-12, Civinettes 10-12, Treasurer 12, Pep Club 11, Washington Comm. Spring Award

3rd Place 11, FFA 9-12, State Degree 11, Historian 11, Degrees Secretary 12, Gym Show 10

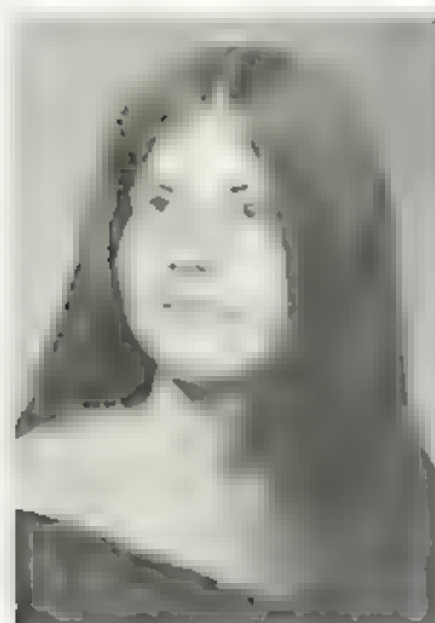
JOHNNY WAYNE WHITE — FFA 9, DE Club 11-12



Steve Vickers



Jack Wagner



Lynne Walton



Linda Warden



Cathy Watson



Patty Weaver



Rita Whicker



Johnny White

Seniors



Debbie Widner



Bobby Williams



Elaine Williams



Joe Wilson



Mark Wingate



Robin Wingate

DEBORAH WIDNER — F F A 9-12, President 12
BOBBY WILLIAMS — Senior Superlative — Cutest Couple, Football 9-12, B C Club 10-12

SHIRLEY ELAINE WILLIAMS — Bible Club 11-12, F B L A Club 11, 12, President 12, Senior Superlative — Witted

JOE WILSON

MARK ALVIN WINGATE — Civitan 10, 11, B C Club 9-12, Band 8-12, All Regional 9-12, All County 9-12, Golf 8-12, Most Valuable Golfer 11, Tri-Hi Sweetheart, Senior Superlative — 10, 12

ROBIN LYNN WINGATE — F F A 9-12, President 10-11

LISSA GAYE WISEMAN — Bible Club 8-12, Secretary 11, Treasurer 12, F H A 8, 9, F B L A 11-12, Chaplain 11, Historian 12

CANDACE JANE WORKMAN — Annual Staff 9, Band 8-11, Bible Club 8-12, S C A C P Club 9

HELEN LOUISE WORLEY — Bible Club 8-12, Vice President 11, Parliament 11, Chorus 9-11, Library Club 11, F F A 12, Reporter 12, Flag Corps 12



Lisa Wiseman



Candace Workman



Helen Worley

Seniors



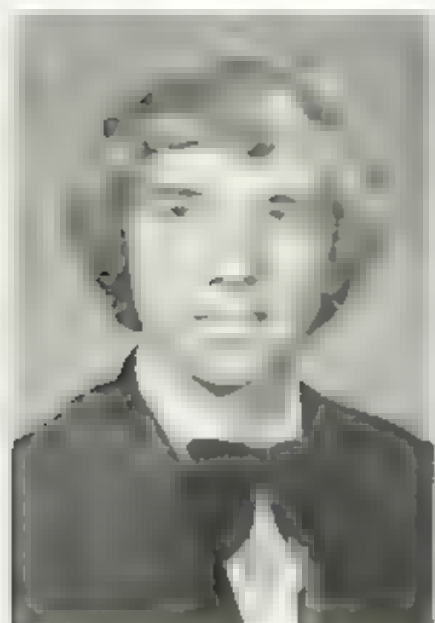
Jesse Woodby



Teresa Wright



Vicki Ann Wright



David Yates



Bryan Yoho



Cynthia Young



David Young

JESSE WOODBY

TERESA MARLENE WRIGHT — F H A 10-12, Song and Recreation Leader 11, National F H A Week Officer 12, Bible Club 8-10, N H S 10-12, Secretary 11, Tri-Hi Y 12, Spanish Club 8, 9, Secretary 9, S C A 10-12, Secretary 12, State Convention 12, Senior Superlative — Most Optimistic

VICKI ANN WRIGHT

DAVID ALLEN YATES

JACK BRYAN YOHIO — S C A 8-12, Science Club 8, 9, B Club 9-12, Sgt at Arms 11, President 12, Key Club 10-12, F C A 12, Football 8-12, Most Outstanding Linebacker 10, Basketball 8, 10, Track 9, 10, Class Vice President 8, Class President 9, Class Vice President 11, Class Sgt at Arms 12, Senior Superlative — Best Looking

CYNTHIA LOUISE YOUNG — F H A 8-9, Bible Club 9, F B I A Club 12, French Club 8, 10

JAMES DAVID YOUNG — S C A 8-12, Sgt at Arms 10, Wrestling 10, 11, Drama Club 12, Science Club 9, 10

MARY ANN YOUNG — F H A 9, Bible Club 10, N H S 10-12, F B I A Club 11, 12, Treasurer 12, Tri-Hi Y 12, Annual Staff 12, Gym Show 10, N E D T Award 10, Physical Fitness Award 10



Mary Young

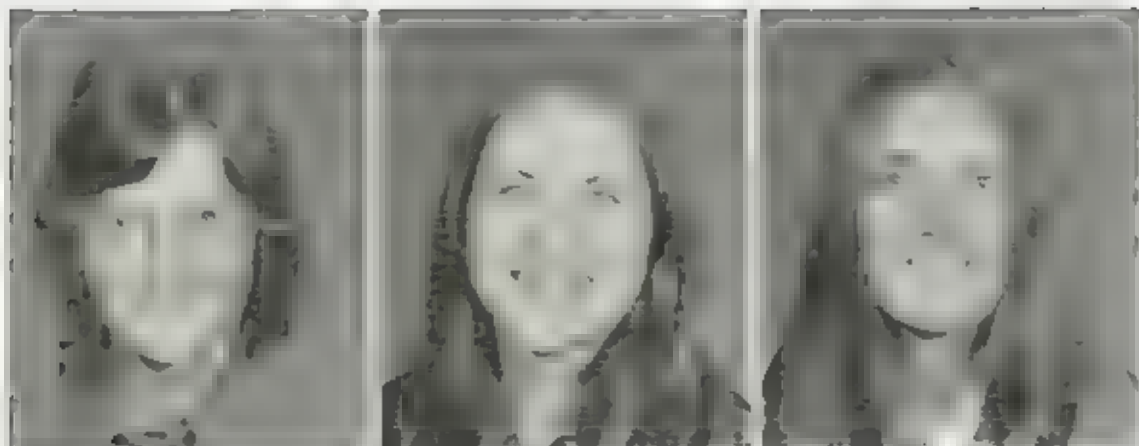
Junior Officers



Pictured (LEFT TO RIGHT): Janet Helton, Treasurer, Donnie Campbell, Chaplain, Carol Adkins, Secretary, Mark Draper, President, Jerry Chorosevic, Vice President, Dina Fraser, Reporter, Darius Johnson, Sergeant at Arms. Not Pictured: Lulu Davidson, Historian.

The class of '74 at Bathin sponsored by Mr. Jack Garland met the challenges of Atwood High School in the annual magazine sales drive by raising a total of \$1582.28. The class made over \$1500 profit which was used to present the graduating class of '73 with a fantastic prom. Such enthusiasm was shown by the entire Junior class under the leadership of Mark Draper that no other fund raising activities were necessary. All salesmen were rewarded generously with a number of prizes.

Juniors



Jenny Abel
Carol Adkins
Marie Akers



Vickie Akers
Lynn Anders
Tommy Baker



Doug Ball
Karen Balthis
Cathy Barker



Debbie Barker
Drema Barker
Eva Barker



Gordon Barker
Debbie Barrett
Mike Bell

Juniors

Lisa Bentzel
Randy Berry
Pam Black



Ed Blaylock
Tony Bowers
Wendy Braxton



Doris Brewer
Steve Brewer
Kelly Calloway



Beth Campbell
Dana Campbell
Lana Campbell



Sue Campbell
Cynthia Carter
Tina Carter



Jerry Carter
Linda Cavall
Dana Chace



Juniors



Jerry Clonovsky
Jimmy Christian
David Clark

Linda Clawson
Doris Clendenen
Terri Colbert

Joey Cooper
Vernon Corum
Phil Countiss

Bill Cross
Lola Davidson
Joy Davis

Richard Dean
Jeff Denton
Ricky Denton



Susan Warren shoots a foul shot

Juniors

Terry Denton
Sandy Dixon
Mark Draper



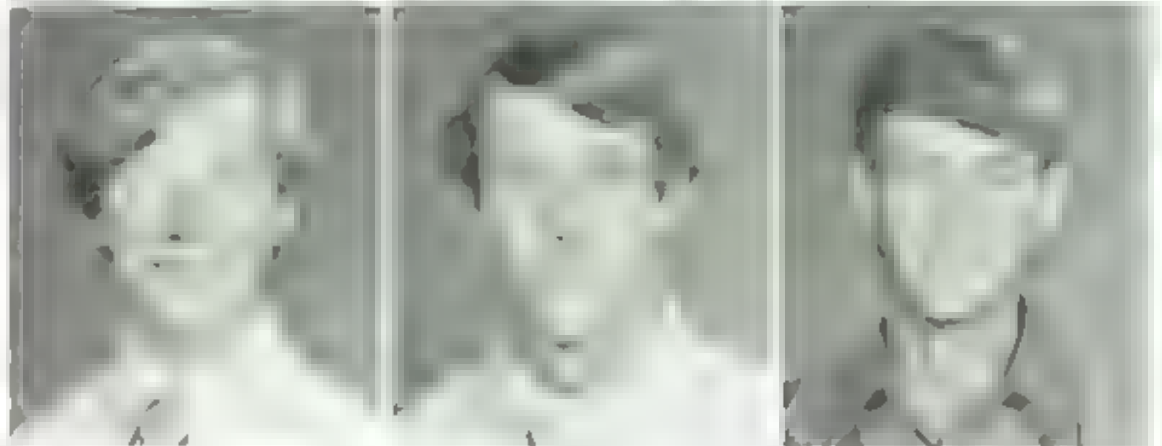
David Deckett
Cheryl Dely
Diane Dely



Teresa Fades
Debbie Fstep
Phil Ferski



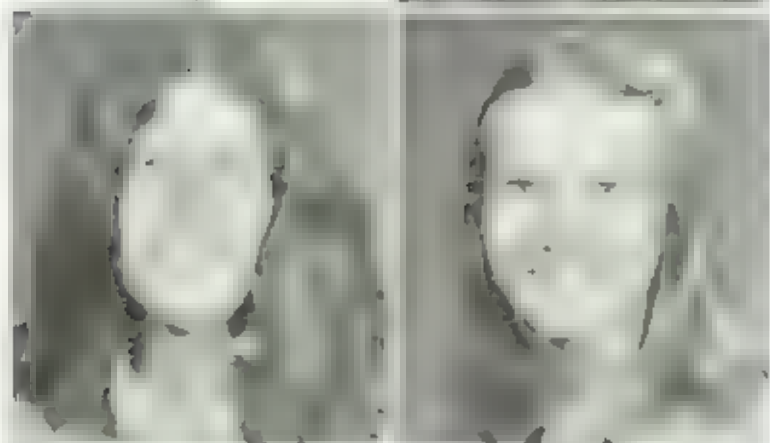
Charles Feads
Pat Fitzgerald
Jerry Elton Jr.



Juniors



Terry Fleenor
Valerie Fleenor



Diane Fraser
Sherry Freeman



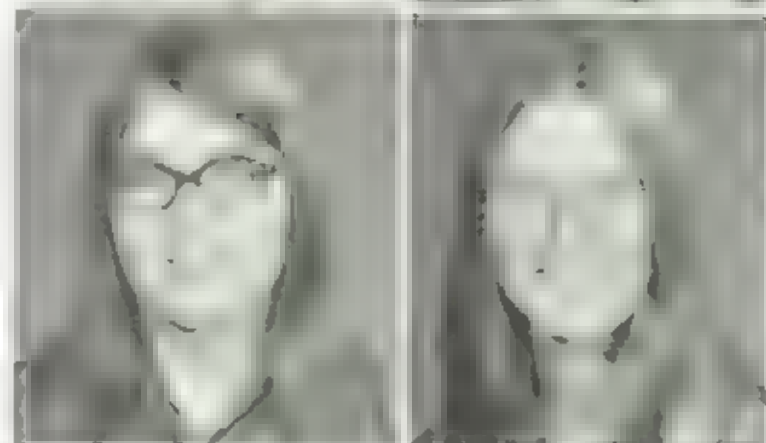
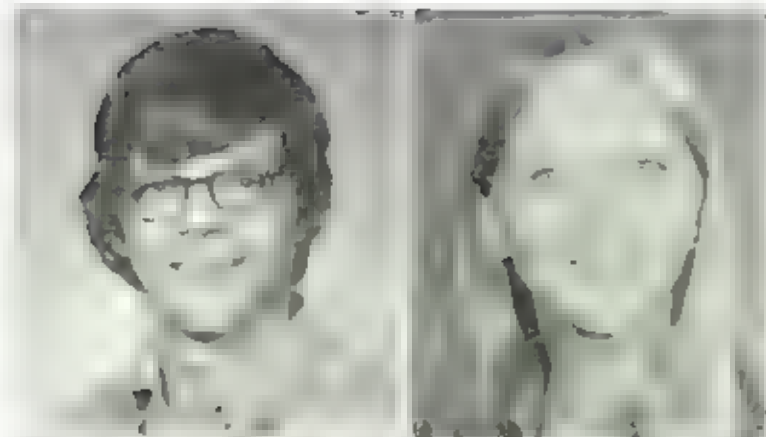
Denise Fiedling
Patty Gallimore



Ricky Gobbie
Linda Godfrey



Danny Galsky
Gary Grizzle



Larry Hardman
Gay Lynn Harless
Kathy Harley

Vickie Harmon
Cathy Hawkins
Debbie Hawkins



Pat Fitzgerald and Vonnie Edwards wait for girls' basketball game to begin

Juniors

Dale Hayden
Ethel Helton
Janet Helton



Janet Hensley
Trinka Hensley
Brenda Hill



John Hill
Janet Hilliard
Sharon Hobbs



Susan Horne
Terry Houser
Roberta Huber



Barbara Hughes
Cathy Hughes
Larry James



Pam Jesse
Darius Johnson
Jimmy Jones



Juniors



Rhonda Jones
Ron Jones
Deborah Keith

Debbie Ketron
Debbie Kiser
Ricky Kiser

Michael Knittel
Agnes Lane
Evelyn Laughlin

Marsha Lawson
Beckie Leab
Jeff Leonard

Paul Leonard
Terry Leonard
Martha Lester



Students cram for exams

Juniors

Leisa Lilley
Joe McChesney
Janet McMillan



Judy McNamara
Betty McNew
Shirley Malone



Johnny Marion
Greg Martin
Wayne Melvin



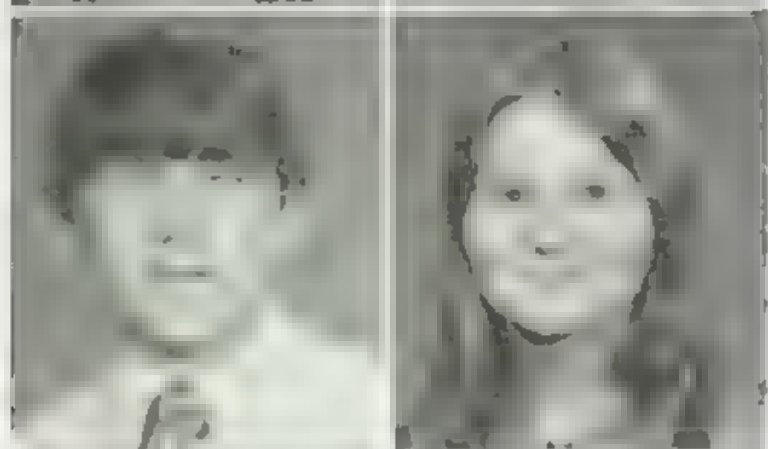
Doug Mills
Becky Moore
Sandy Morgan



Randy Berry-supports club bake sale



Jeanie Morris
Judy Mulhas



Danny Mumpower
Tracy Necessary



Carol Nicholson
Dennis Noonkester



Linda Nunley
Lynn Ornduff



Brenda Owens
Linda Owens



Jeff Pack
Mike Parks
Brenda Pendergrass

Shirley Powers
Brenda Pruitt
Cindy Quesenberry



Eddie Sproles displays delight concerning band trip

Juniors

Richard Quesenberry
Debbie Warren
Mike Wacker



Roger Ravnake
Sharon Reed
Mary Reynolds



John Rice
Ricky Roark
David Roberts



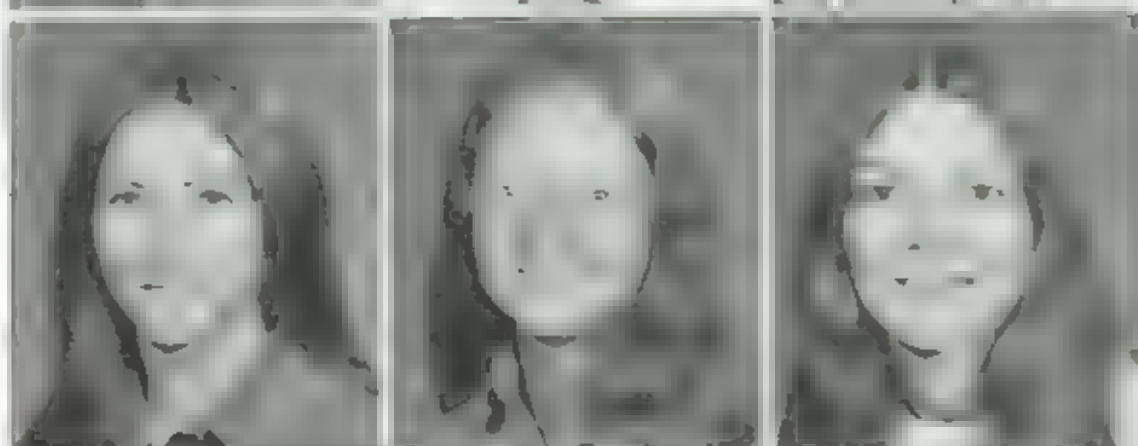
Robin Roberts
Kathy Robinson
Barbara Ross



Barbara Rosenbalm
Dennis Salver
Kim Sanders



Becky Shaffer
Rita Shelley
Sherri Shelley





Hope Simeox
Cathy Singleton
Darrell Slagle

Marty Slemm
Danny Smith
Frankie Smith

Sam Smith
Marsha Snader
Teresa Snead

Beth Stodgrass
Jackie Surah
Steve Spates



Guy Yoho is being his usual self

Juniors

Eddie Sproles
James Stanley
Karen Stine



Gary Sullivan
Cindy Szulewski
Tim Tabor



Debbie Taylor
Rachel Tester
Debbie Vance



Mike Venable
Bucky Venable
Susan Warren



Karen Balthis and Cathy Hawkins enjoy their lunch

Juniors



Ricky Weatherly
Raymond Wilson
Susan Wilson



Varina Woodward
Kathy Wooten



David Wright
Michelle Yocum



Guy Yoho
Doug Yon



Joe McChesney enjoys his apple a day

Sophomore Officers



Pictured (BOTTOM TO TOP): Keith Farmer, President, Marianne Lagerholm, Vice President, Kim Kennedy, Secretary, Jo Bentley, Treasurer, Larry Jenkins, Sgt. at Arms

This year the Sophomore Class members were active in student affairs at John Buttle. Many started on the Varsity football team throughout the season, and a large number were listed on the Varsity roster. Many of the Junior Varsity cheerleaders were members of the Sophomore class. Several Sophomores were officers of the Student Cooperative Association. Many Sophomores feel that their most important contribution was the class's active support in raising funds for the cafeteria's tape system.

Sophomores



David Anderson
Patty Bailey
Dana Baker
James Barker



Lewis Barker
Paula Barker
Pam Beard
Jo Bentley



Leola Blackburn
Twana Blackwell
Debbie Blevins
Patty Blevins



Terry Bolling
Bella Boyer
Susan Boyer
Cathy Bowers



Toby Bowers
Wanda Bowers
Darrell Brewer
Linda Brewer

Sophomores

Jeff Bowman
Rhonda Burke
Debbie Burnette
Loretta Cadle



Billy Clayman
Billy Campbell
Douglas Camper
Mike Canter



Brenda Carroll
Tony Carter
David Clapp
Lynn Clayman



Ricky Coldron
Sylvia Cole
Robin Colley
Pat Cook



Mickie Comer
Alice Cooper
Susie County
Chuck Cox



Sophomores



Richard Crouch
Don Crusenberry
Kim Davis
Mike Davenport



Mark Dean
Herschel DeBord
Larry DePriest
Darlene Denton



Jackie Denton
Mike Denton
Sharon Dotson
Mickie Dunn



Dennis Dutton
Theresa Dye
Darrell Dyson
Rick Eads



David Eaton
Jean Easterly
Mary Easterly
Renee Edwards

Sophomores



Jo Bentley and Kim Kennedy are tense during game.



What's the problem, Larry???

Craig Elva
Ronnie Emerson
Keith Farmer
Carol Fales
Bernice Hoover



David H. Hecron
Shari Hecron
Susan Hecron
Leslie Ford
Darlene Freese



Steve Fuller
Freddie Garrett
Jeff Gilmer
Gary Goodson
Sandra Griffith



Sophomores



Kenny Groves
Joe Hays
Dorey Harlow
David Harley
Carmen Hatley



John Heskett
Helen Henson
David Hensy
Barbara Hill
Margaret Hill



Darlene Holden
Becky Hunt
George Huse
Jennie Houser
Doree Huckaby



Eva Hughton
Jesse Hotalley
Lee Ann Hunsicker
Steve Hursey
Doree Huger



James Ingle
Harry Jenkins
Carmen Jensen
Vera Jensen
Debbie Johnson

Sophomores

Sara Jones
Rick Kogut
Ruth Keller
Kim Kennedy
Judy Kuten



Mike Koser
Candy Kretzinger
Ann Kuder
Marlene Langerhans
Dennis Lawless



Becky Leonard
Mike Leonard
Barb Leonard
Kevin Lester
Debbie Long



Jimmy Loudy
Barbara Laughlin
Mae Lovel
Doreen Mabe
Larry Mabe



Candy Maiden
Dor Mabe
Gloria Marsh
Pat Myers
Jill McCoy



Sophomores



Mike McNally
Darrell Messer
Debbie Messick
Pam Meredith
Paul Miller



Vicki Morrison
Marantha Morenings
Debi Mueller
Valerie Mullins
Debbie Mumpower



Sandy Nash
Becky Neff
Lori Neaves
Paulette Nester
Janice Nicholson



Jane Burchett and Bobby Blevins perform for an assembly

Sophomores



Mike Noonkester
Sherry Norman
Brenda Nunn
Tina Odum
Burt Ogle



Debbie O'Leary
Janet O'Leary
Linda Owens
Diane Patten
Blair Patten



Mark Powers
Mary Beth Purton
Amy Pines
Candice Plummer
Deborah Pritchett



Brian Phillips
Teresa Phillips
Dorothy Phipps
Sandy Pickett
Scott Pickett



Vicky Reed
Mike Reed
Pamela Reed
Regina Reedman
Kathy Reardon

Sophomores



Rick Hughes and Erik Wisnabarger have a water fight in the cafeteria.



Kelly Bussell
Tina Wink
Cathy Williams
Doreen Lyons
Erik Noll



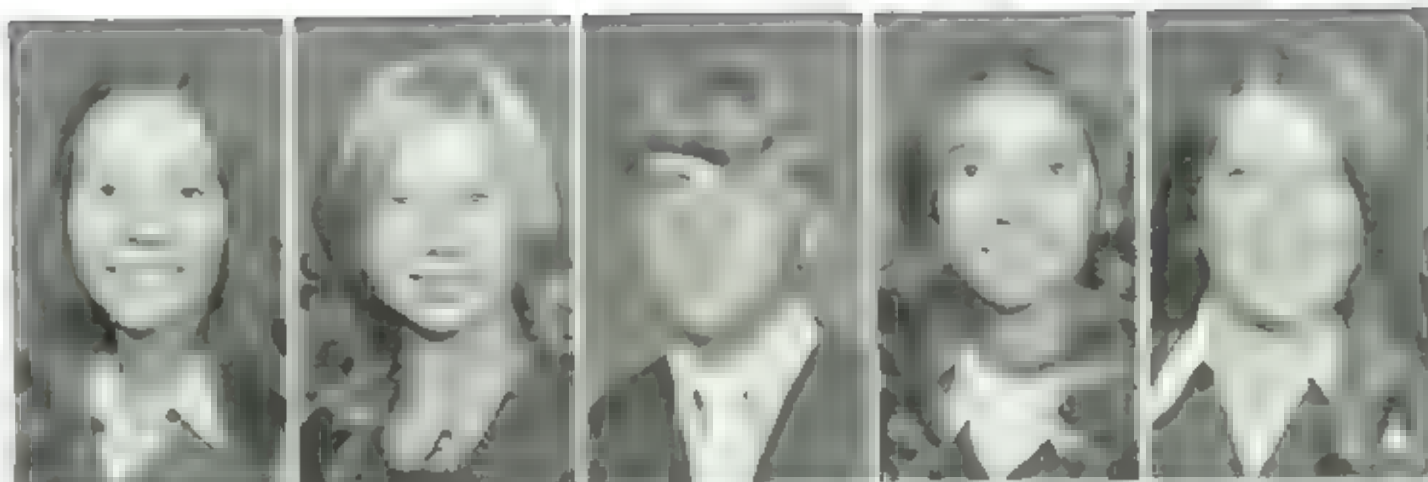
Rita Schneider
David Sexton
Wendy Stalter
Amy Stucker
Carol Stolley



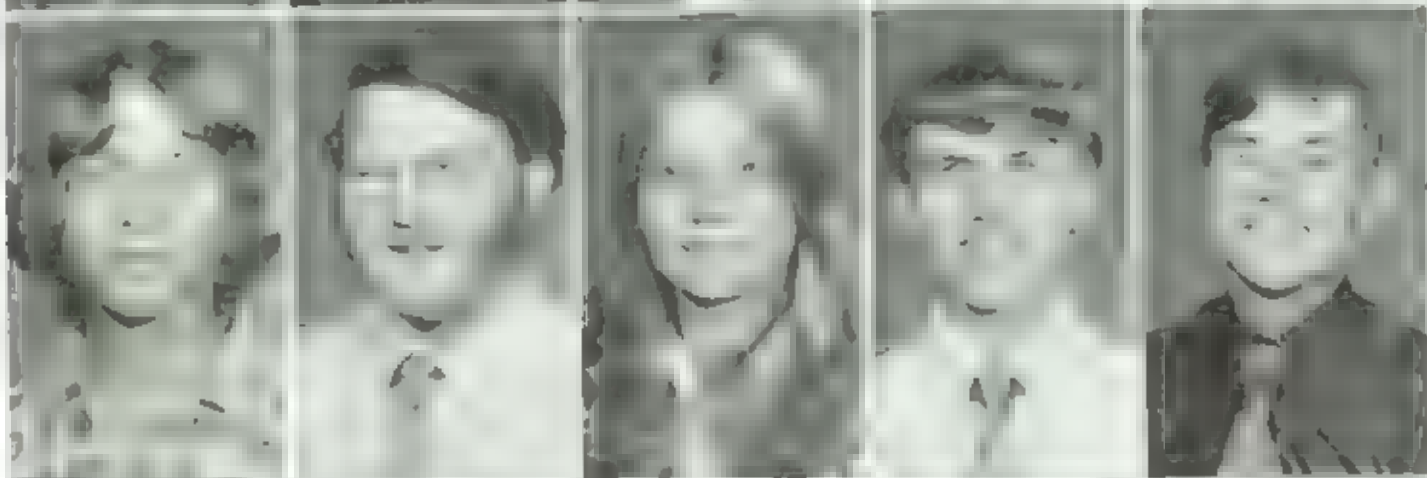
James Short
Jon Stiller
Gordon Smith
Lance Smith
Joe Smith

Sophomores

Mildred Smith
Feri Smith
David Smith
Rhonda Stark
Vickie Stout



Randy Tallman
Farvin Tate
Valery Tate
Vernon Tate
Garry Taylor



James Taylor
Lee Taylor
Billy Turner
Danny Vandover
Carolyn Venneman



Steve Vestal
Danita Wagner
Larry Wagner
Sam Wagner
Brenda Wann



Patricia Warren
Phil Wascaster
James Whittaker
James White
Kathy Widner



Sophomores



Pat Widener
Loretta Williams
Rick Williams
Teresa Williams
Jeff Will



Eva Woodby
Paul Wright
Greg Yoho
Mike Young
Phil Young



Brenda Millard is caught off guard while watching student faculty volleyball game sponsored by the Senior Science Club

Freshman Officers



Pictured (LEFT TO RIGHT): Copey Hicks, Historian, John Sheffield, Treasurer, Gary Combs, Reporter, Sandy Sproles, Secretary, and Sandy Sproles, Secretary.

Freshman class members were active this year. Many freshman boys played on the Junior Varsity Football team, while others were on the basketball team. Several of these participants received awards for outstanding performance. Girls took active part in the cheerleading squad, and several freshman girls were members of the Junior Varsity basketball team. Three freshman girls were Junior Varsity cheerleaders.

Freshmen participated in forensic meets, art contests, and many extra-curricular events.

Freshmen



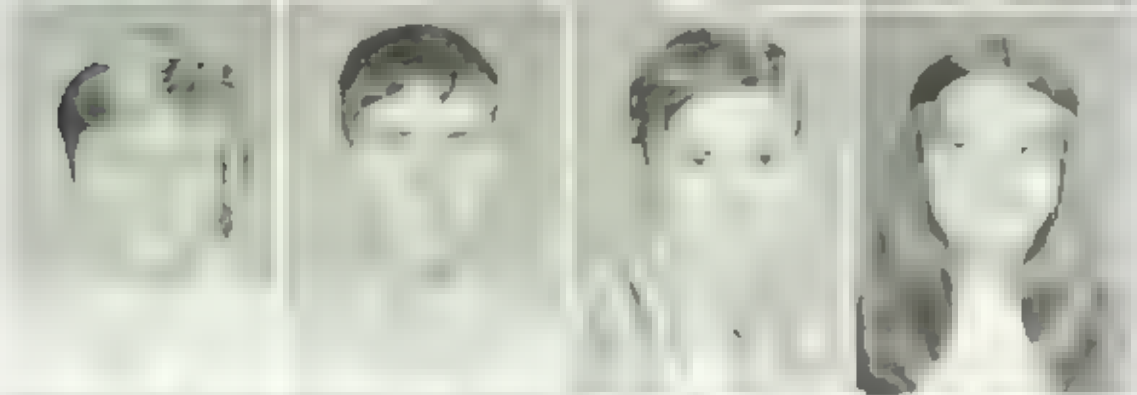
Peggy Adams
Thomas Adams
Pat Adams
Kathy Akard



Teresa Anders
Vicki Arnold
Anthony Atkins
Teresa Barker



Kathy B...
...
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Jay Barb



...
...
Alvin Barrett
Debbie Barrett



Jimmy Barrett
Dennis Bays
George Beard
Debbie Blaylock



Patricia Booher
Chris Branson
...
...

Freshmen

Bobby Bright
Suzie Brotbeck
Cana Brown
Jeryl Bryant



Bill Burkholder
Brian Burress
Debbie Cadle
Richard Canole



Terry Canter
Ted Carrier
Debbie Carrull
Teresa Carroll



Jimmy Carter
Anna Chorosevte
David Church
Freda Clark



Carl Coalson
Suzanne Coal
Faye Combs
Gary Combs



Kenny Cox
Wanda Cox
Roger Crane
Steve Crowe



Freshmen



Ricky Cunningham
Sherrl Cunningham
Perry Dalton



David Dameron
Joan Davidson
Chuck Deering



Bruce Denton
Mark Denton
Pat Denton



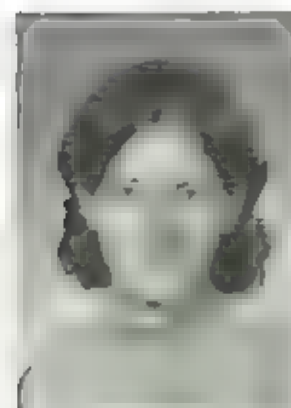
Lee Dinkel
Teresa Dinkens
Kathy Dixon



Jeff Dowell
Eric Duff
Sharon Dupont



Steve Dutton
Laurie Dutz
Keith Dye



Gay Fades
Mark Fades
Noel Fiestly
Mike Fides
Susan Faulkner

Freshmen



Phil Yon looks suspicious

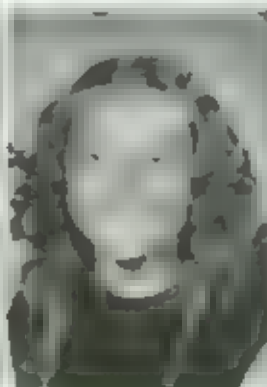


O K ! Who took it ?

Connie Faust
Helen Felty
Sue Fields
Mark Fleenor



Sandra Fleenor
Lisa Ford
Ladawn Frithing
Delora Gentry



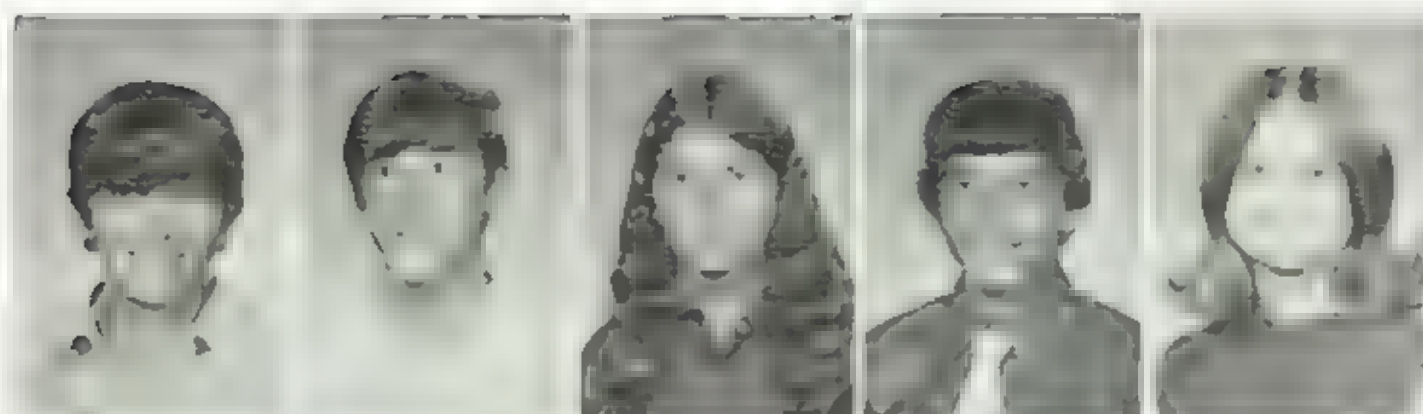
Karen Gollchon
Orin Gomer
Deanne Goodson
Lony Grant



Dwain Griffin
Mark Grizzle
Mike Grubb
Sharon Halstead



Freshmen



Timmy Hanger
Larry Harless
Rhonda Harley
Bobbie Harmon
Libby Harris



Betty Hart
Vicki Hash
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Freshmen

Ellen Johnson
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Janette Kennedy
Steve Kiefer



Kenneth King
Larry King
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Jeff Kiser
Kathy Kiser



Terry Kitzmiller
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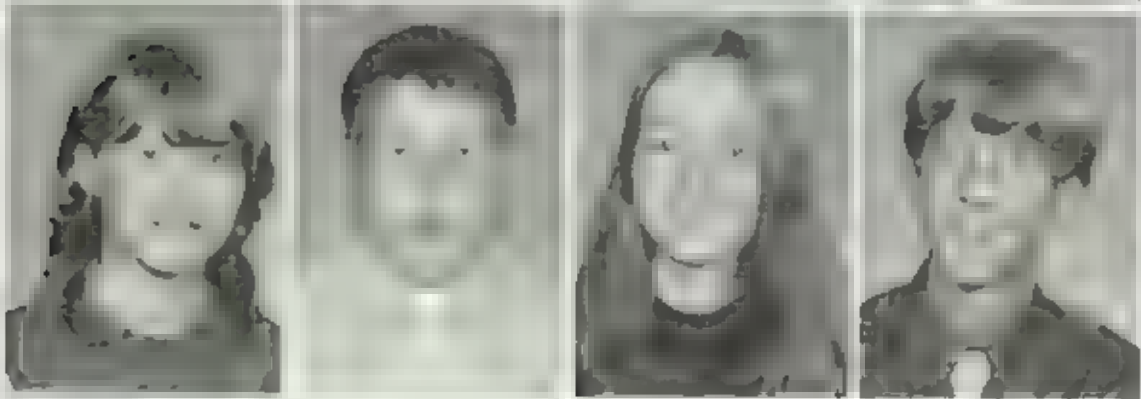
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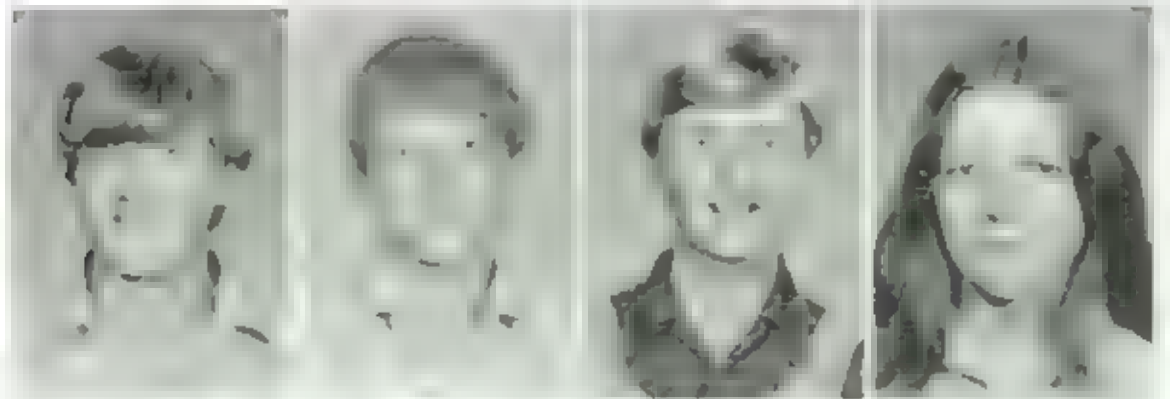


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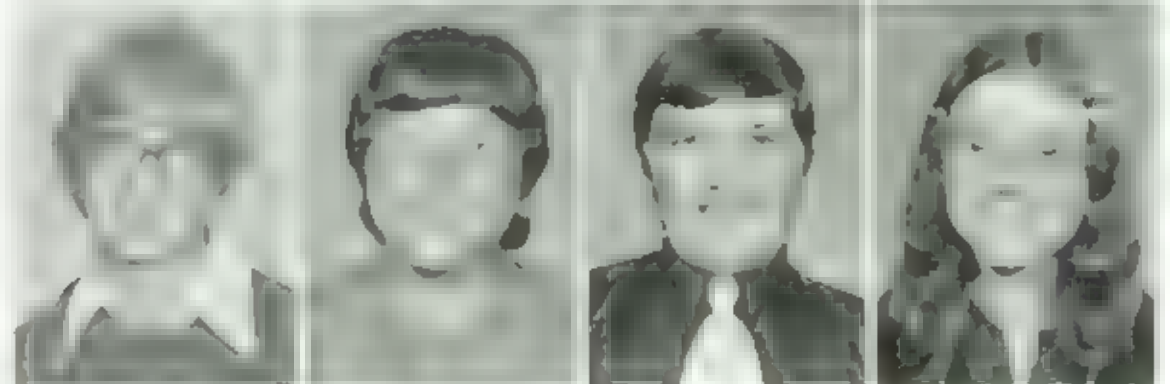


You make me ill!

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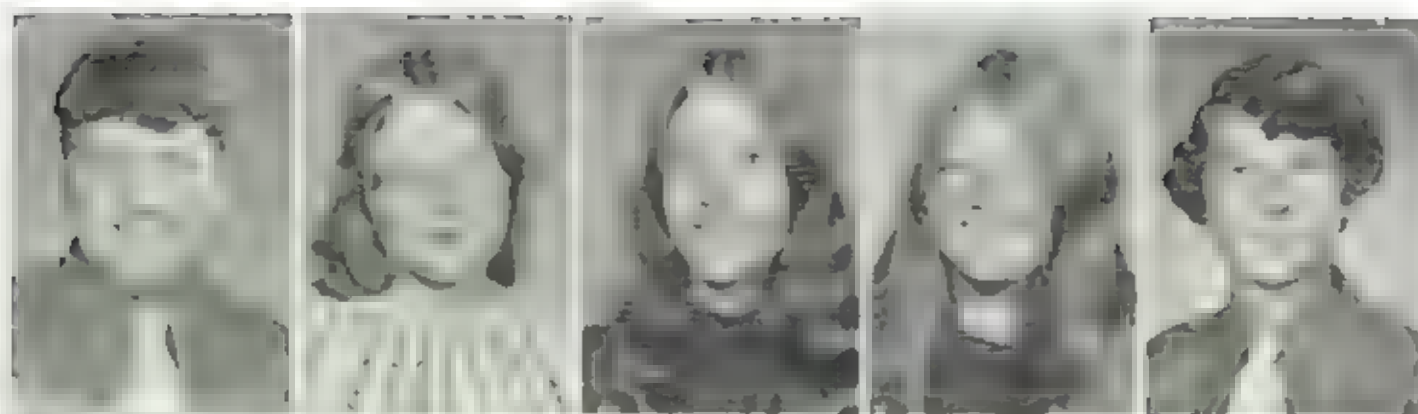
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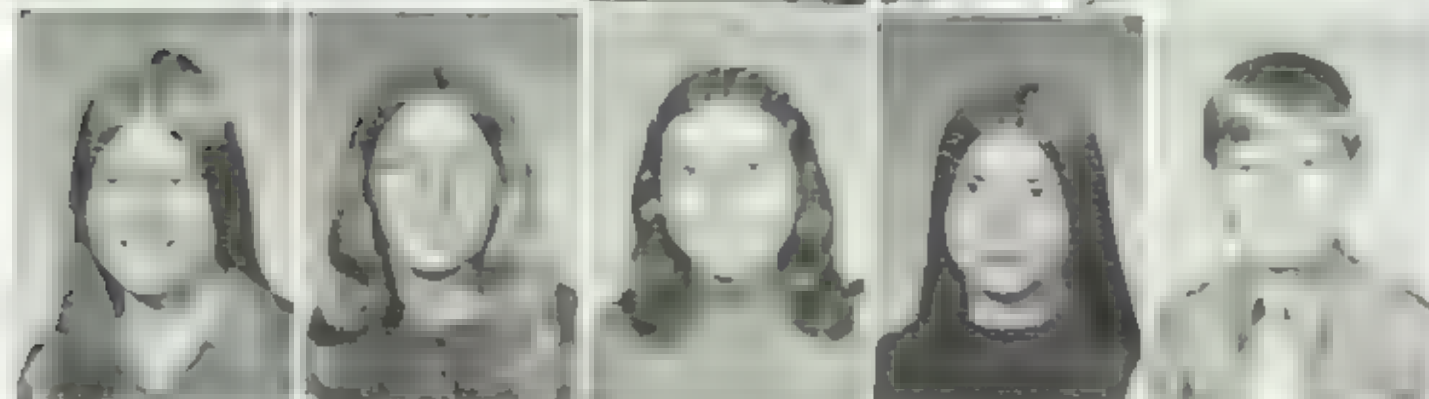
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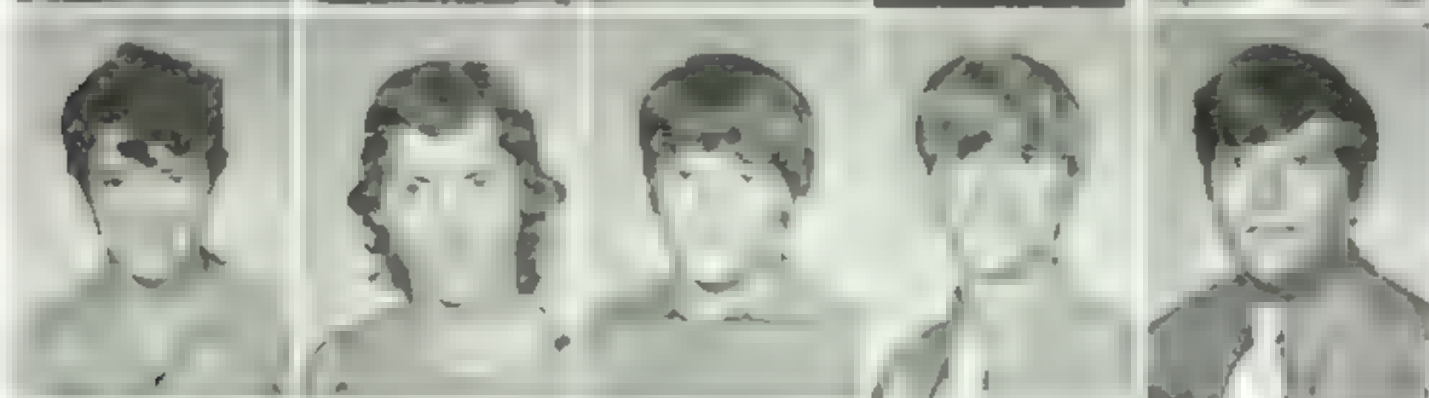
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Kathy Rock
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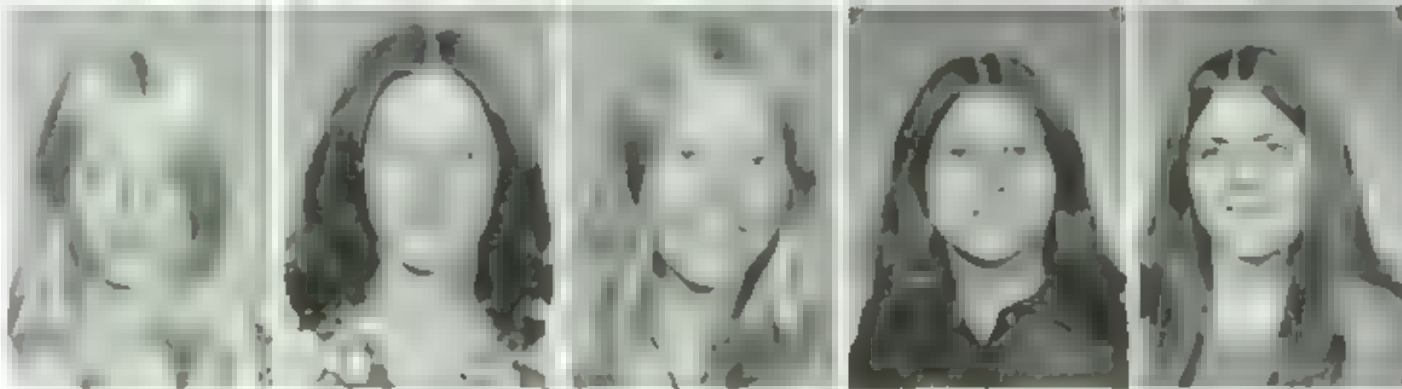
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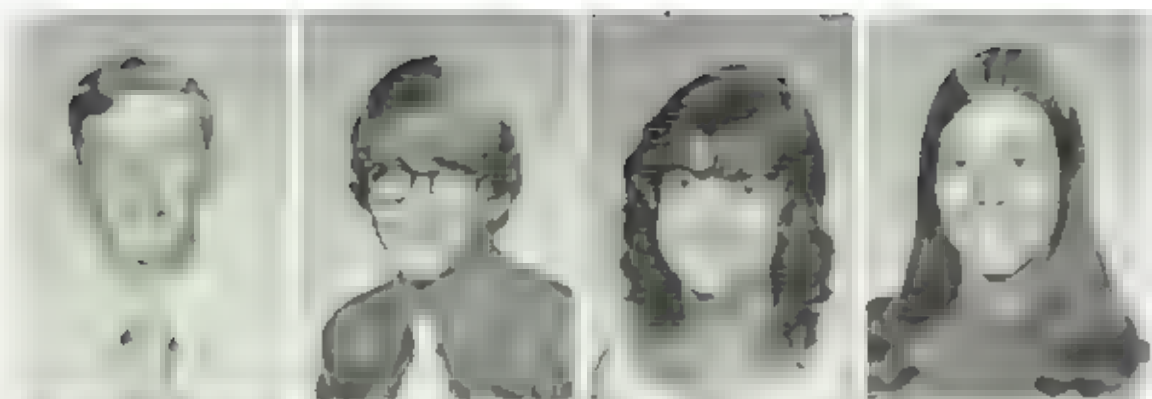
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Janice Williams
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David Widener
Ferry Wingate
Todd Witt
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Students study hard

Eighth Grade Officers

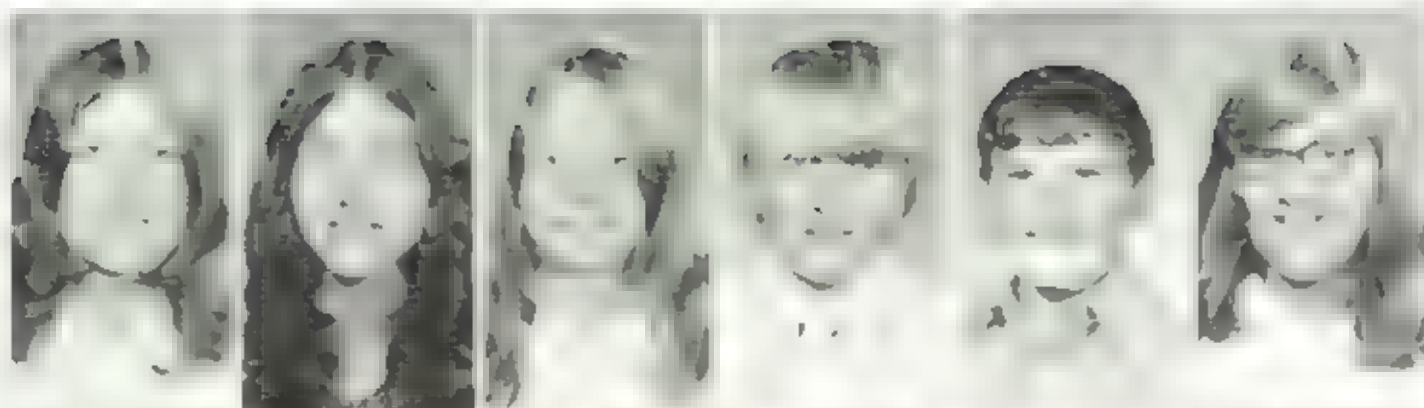


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Although the first year in high school had an interesting beginning for the eighth graders, the students did not discuss the importance of past years. The eighth graders, sponsored by Mrs. Collins, began their five year term at Battle by attending orientation to learn about the school. They compiled a history of all students which revealed a listing of elementary schools attended and gave any honors received in elementary school.

The students demonstrated an interest in Battle's athletics by decorating the lockers of the eighth grade football and basketball players. They also proved their school spirit by winning the spirit stick at most of the pep rallies.

Eighth Grade



Margaret Adams
Lana Alexander
Janice Amos
Jimmy Anders
Larry Anselmi
Janice Atchley



Donny Atchley
Donna Badger
David Ball
Jimmy Bardsley
Amy Barker
Kathy Barker



Timmy Barr
Jeff Barrett
Bruce Bentley
Dennis Blevins
Amy Blaylock
Joe Blaylock



Randy Blaylock
Robbie Blaylock
Barbara Blevins
Kenny Boardwine
Clayton Booher



Debbie
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Betty Borker
Jack Bowers



Eric Branson
Jo Browning
Donna Byington

Eighth Grade

Jimmy Byington
Jimmy Campbell
Mark Campbell



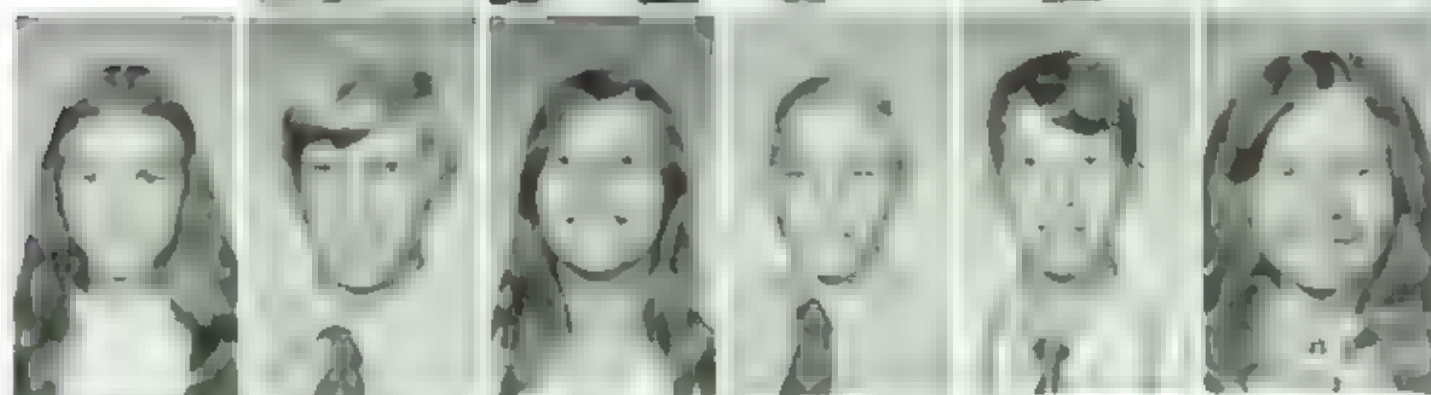
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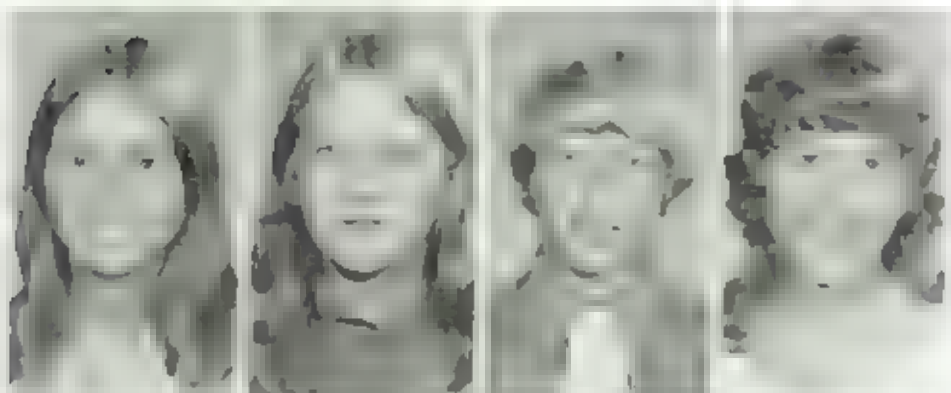
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Mark Cunningham
Wendy Cunningham
April Dennis
Eddie Davis



Eighth Grade



Danny Deskins
Charles Dinkins



Jeanie Dinkins
Doris Dunn
Tim Duff
Pam Fader



Robert Fady
Sandy Filer
Glen Foster
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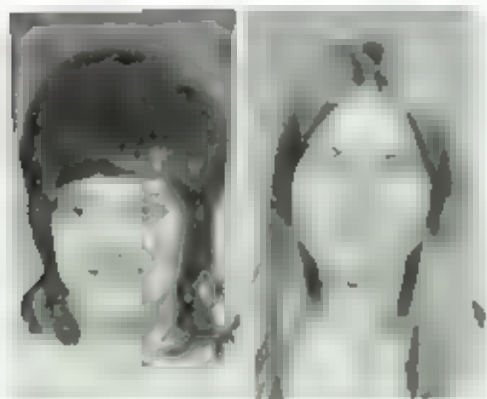


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David Gross
Bruce Gunning



Sue Haderer
Mike Hall
Larry Hammel
Guy Hardin
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Debbie Harmon

Eighth Grade



Vickie Hensley
Pam Hiler
Jessy Hill
Kathy Hill



Jeff Hobbs
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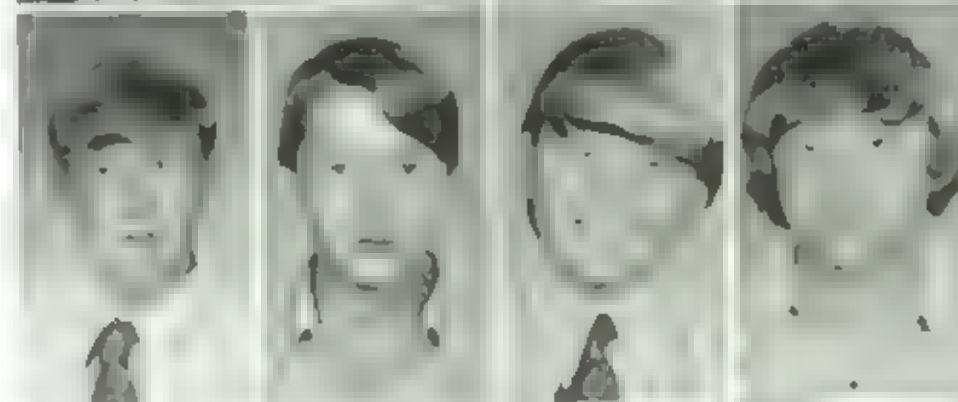
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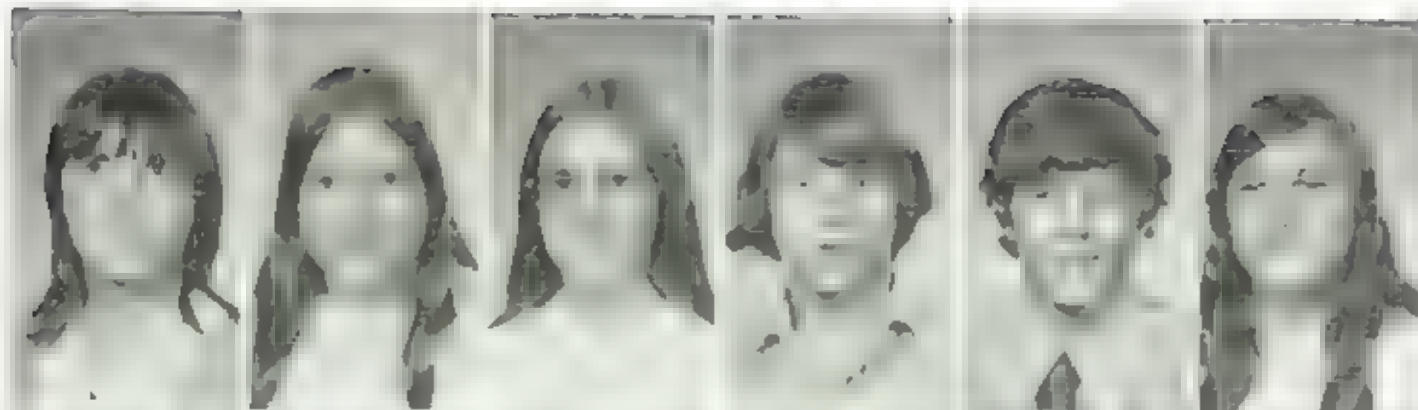
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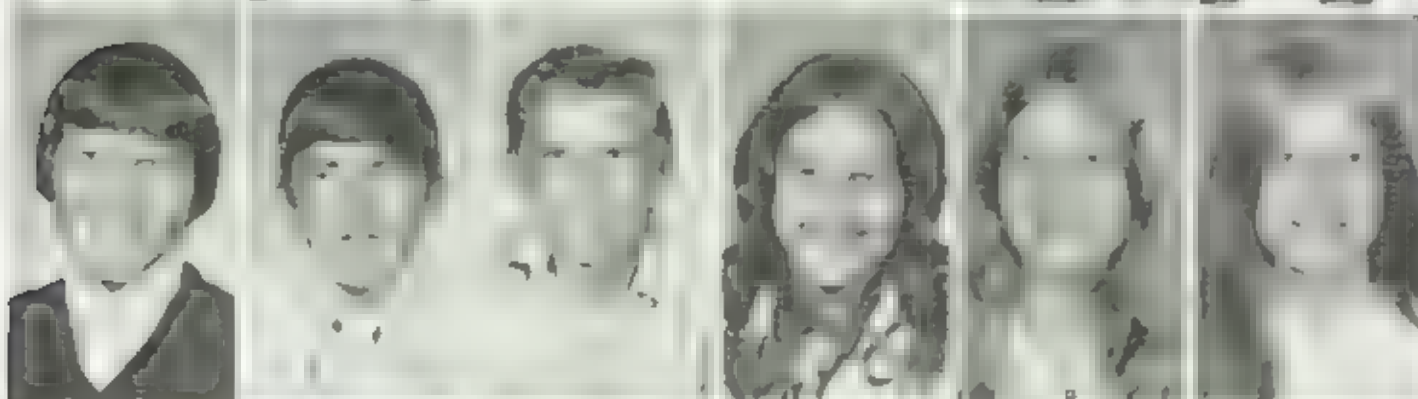
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Eighth Grade



Linda Lange
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Mary Lewis



Bryan Lukous
Glen Long
Butch Lunsford
Donna Lunsford
Theresa Malcolm
Phyllis Malone



Diana Monawech
Janice Marsh
Nancy McCann
Marcia McChesney
Lisa McCloud
Freda McCracken



Diane McCray
Debbie McCuskey
Lough McGrady
Robin McNew
Brenda Meade
Gilmer Meade



Band boosts spirit at pep rallies

Eight Grade



Between class break!!!

Mike Mesnick
Pam Millard
Carolyn Miller
Joyce Millard
Tammy Miller
Belinda Millhorn



Roger Montgomery
Mary Moore
Gary Morgan
Mark Morgan
Brenda Morris
Monica Morberg



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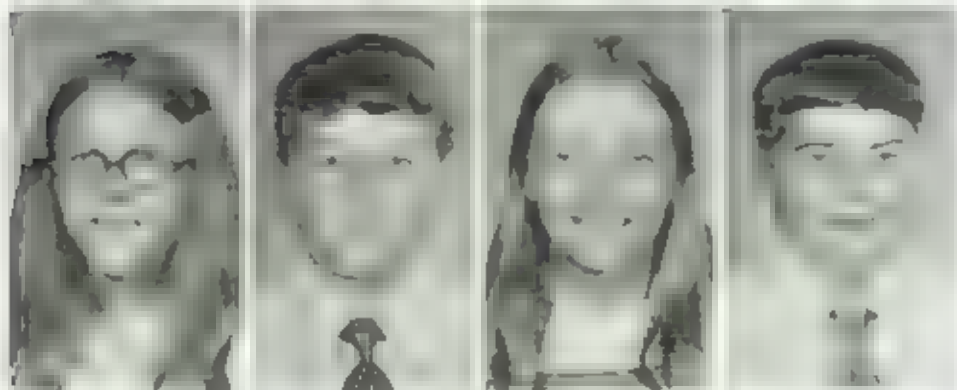
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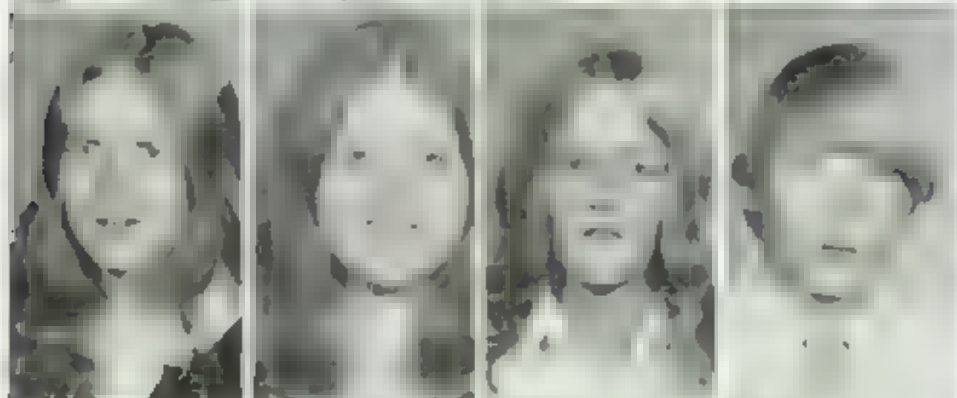
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Joan Quesenberry
Durrell Rames



Tony Ramsey
Loretta Rasnake
Susan Ratcliff
Danny Reece



Clarence Reed
Donnie Reeves
Keith Roark
Jessie Roark



Teresa Roberts
Danny Rock
Marty Rock
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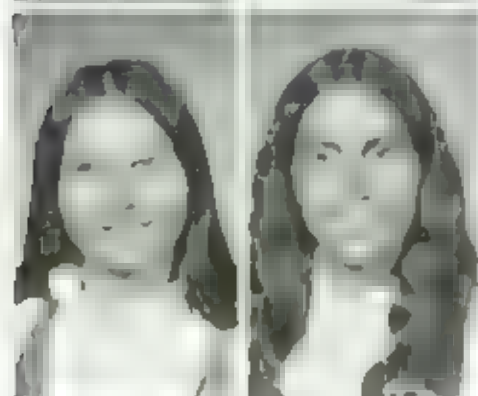
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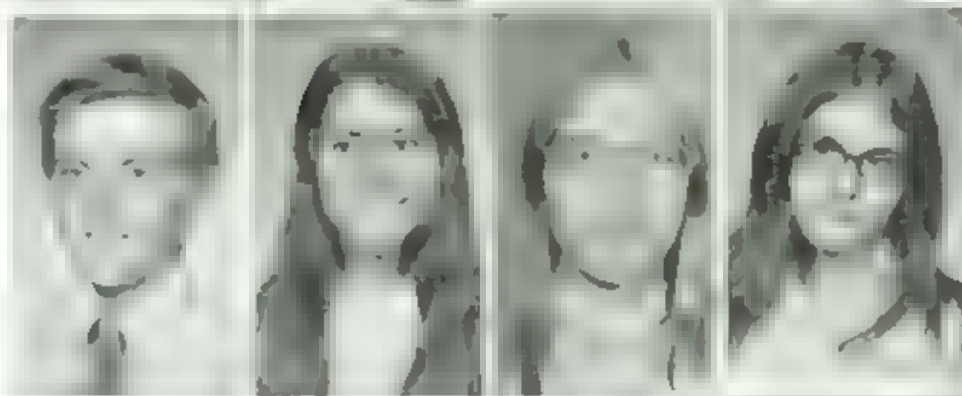
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Pam Sherfey
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Bev Shaffer
Sandy Shankle
Daryll Simcox
Janie Sisk

Billie Trivette
Sherry Vance
Steve Vencill
Laura Vermillion



Eighth Grade



Ellen Vaught
Linda Kay Wann
Ray Warren
Susan Watson
Mike Weaver
Marilyn Webster



Donnie White
Darrel Widner
Pat Widner
Jimmy Wilson
Joe Widner
Tammy Woodard



Feda Woodly
Sandra Woodby
Dale Worley
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Deborah Worley
Rita Worley



Teresa Worley
Terry Wright
Reba Yates
David Young
Tina Young

WOW! What a Jay!!



Pam and Sonja Brown act like sisters







ORGANIZATIONS



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This year through the Student Cooperative Association a good communication line was opened among students, teachers, and administration. The overall atmosphere was relaxed due to free and frequent discussions among the different school groups.

Also Mr. Farnsworth, as well as other members of the administration, was present at several S C A scheduled meetings to hear the voice of the student body through their elected representatives.

The S C A, under the supervision of Mr. Donald Mashburn and Mr. Jim Butcher, managed the school store, sponsored clean-up week, assembly programs, took part in a mock election, worked to get a tape system in the cafeteria, and worked to develop the merit system. S C A members also found time to attend the district S C A meeting in Wytheville, and to attend the state S C A meeting in the spring of 1973.



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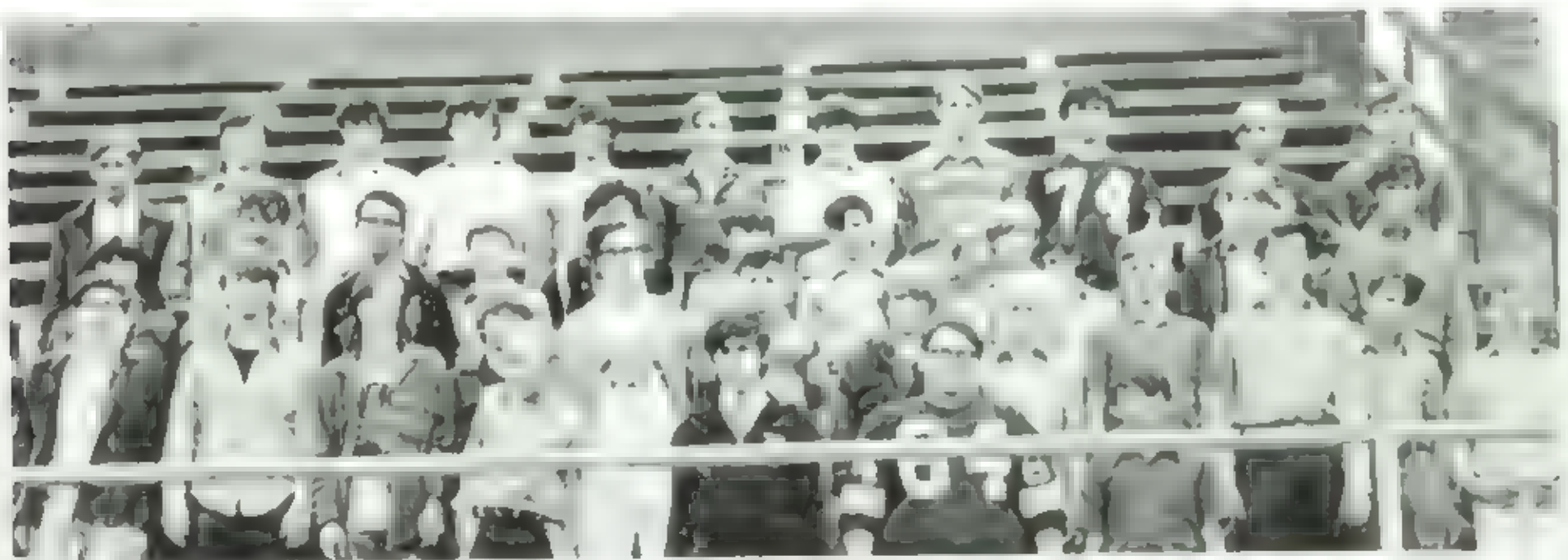
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Under the direction of Mrs. Teresa M. Smith and Mr. David P. Robertte, the 4-H Club of Washington County had many projects and programs. There was a county council who planned programs and projects. The representatives from Battle to the county council were Susan Warren and Denise Frohling. In the summer of 1972, seven members from Washington County, Virginia spent a week in Washington County, Pennsylvania staying with families of fellow 4-Hers. In accordance to plans, members visited states in the midwestern and southeastern United States. To go on these trips, members worked hard to earn money in such projects as picnic suppers and lunch sales. For entertainment, a dance and/or concert was planned for spring or summer.

At school meetings, 4-Hers have many projects. These include raising animals, care of farm equipment, wildlife, home economics, and ground beautification. At the meetings, members or leaders gave demonstrations in one of the areas mentioned above. Battle club members had a car wash which received active participation.



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Victoria Woodward, an unexpected guest, created much conflict when she arrived at the Hotel residence in the Christmas play.



The speech and drama classes presented a modern version of the Nativity using Readers Theatre



Laura Brotbeck and Phil Parris portrayed husband and wife in a Christmas one-act play



The 1972 Senior Class Play was the Drama class's entry The Whole Truth

Theatre Arts at John S. Battle High school provided students with experiences in the total theatre process: acting, design, rehearsal, production, stagecrafts, and play attendance. The dramatic season began with a Christmas production entitled "A Christmas Potpourri". Presented by students of the speech and drama classes, the program consisted of a one-act comedy and Readers' Theatre adaptation of **A Child Is Born**. Experience was gained in stage movement, dialogue, makeup, sound effects, and publicity.

In February twelve Juniors gathered to decide the fate of a young girl in the production of **The Jury Room**. The cast and technical crews for this three-act play were composed of students from all grade levels.

The speech and drama classes entered the Southwest District One-Act Play Festival in March and presented the episodic play, **An Overpraised Season**. The classes also presented several one-act plays to English classes during the year. Students were given complete production responsibilities for these performances and were consequently able to apply their classroom study of drama. Throughout the year students enjoyed attending community theatre and visiting the drama departments of several local colleges. Dramatics proved to be an interesting and a successful venture at John Battle during the 1972-'73 school year.

Speakers Bureau



FROM LEFT TO RIGHT: NEWELL, MILES, JACK, CROUCH, PARKER, DENNIS, PARRIS, ROBBI, KEGLEY, PHIL, STOKES. SECOND ROW: MR. JACK GARLAND, Sponsor, RICHARD CROUCH, DENNIS PARKER, ROBBIE KEGLEY, PHIL PARRIS, Not pictured, MR. TOM STOKES, sponsor, DAVID HUNTER.

The Speakers Bureau is an organization of young men who participate in school and community events where their talent for public speaking can be expressed. The bureau is open to any eighth through twelfth grader who can prove his speaking ability. Members are invited to several speaking dinner events sponsored by civic clubs. Their advisors are Mr. Tom Stokes and Mr. Jack Garland.



David Hunsaker prepares for debate tournament

The 1972-73 Debate Society was involved in two major activities this spring. Throughout the fall and winter the society worked hard with these two events as their goals. The first of these was a trip to the University of Richmond for the annual debate tournament. The second was participation in the Southwest District debate tournament.



Picture LEFT TO RIGHT Doug Yon, David Hunsaker, Chairman, David Hunsaker, Ph. Editor, Richard C. Treasurer, Mr. Jeffrey Minton, Sponsor



Pictured (LEFT TO RIGHT): Mr. Steve Smeltzer, Sponsor, Dennis Dutton, Treasurer, Joey Cooper, Secretary, David Hunsaker, President, Raymond Wilson, Vice President, Burt Ogles, Secretary, Mr. Benny Lemon, Sponsor. SECOND ROW: John Hill, Mike Kiser, Vernon Corum, Mark Hyler, Craig Milhorn, Johnny Powers, Roland Henslee, Mike Taylor. THIRD ROW: Barry Bays, Cooper Meade, Dennis Salver, Kenny Groves, Copey Hicks, Steve Vickers, Steve McAllister, Bobby Blevins.

Every year the Junior Civitans participate in special activities as service to the school and community. One of the activities of the club at this time was to sponsor a "Get Out the Vote" campaign to encourage voters without rides to reach the polls.

Projects in winter and spring included turning benches for the senior center, having a dance for the teachers lounge, participating in a basketball game with the Key Club and attending the annual Civitan convention in scenic Gatlinburg, Tennessee.



Junior Civitan Officers, Pictured (LEFT TO RIGHT): Joey Cooper, Secretary; Raymond Wilson, Vice President; David Hunsaker, President; Burt Ogle, Secretary; Dennis Dutton, Treasurer.

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The 1972-'73 yearbook staff began planning the 1973 yearbook by attending a yearbook workshop at Virginia Intermont College in May. In August Vonnie Edwards, Editor-in-chief, and Lyn Sheffield, Advertising and Sports Editor, brought home honorable mentions for competition in section, lay-out designs from a four day yearbook workshop at Emory and Henry College.

The 1973 staff sold 1100 yearbooks, a sales drive that no school in this area can match. Money making projects other than yearbook sales and advertising included sponsoring an assembly program featuring The Slug, the Miss PHOENIX Contest, an appearance on Classroom Kwiz, bake sales, window washes and car washes. The staff also participated in the homecoming decorations contest. Miss Penny Vermillion is the yearbook advisor.



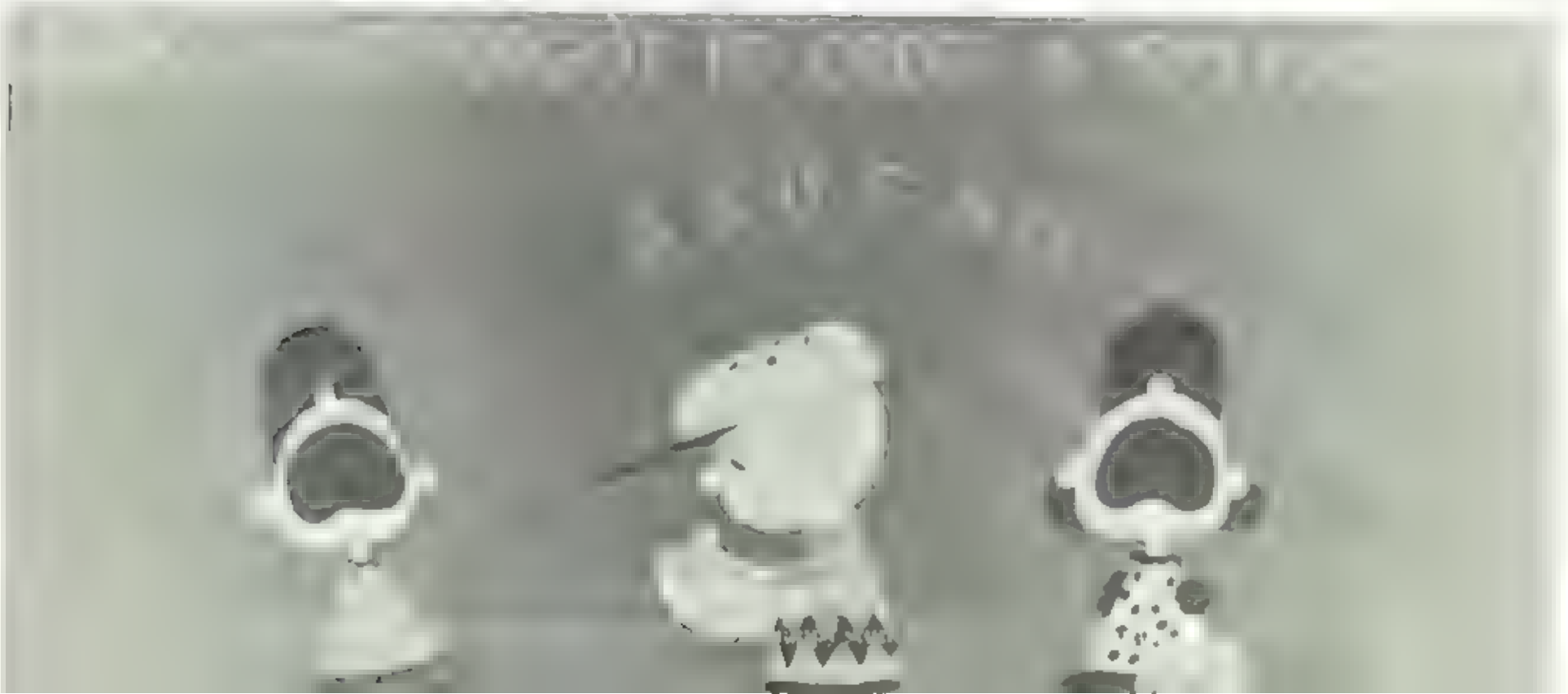
Vonnie Edwards and Lyn Sheffield are pictured after winning Honorable Mention at yearbook contest.



Sharon Hulstead, Pan Jesse, Lula Davidson, and Wayne Dixon place their copy of THE PHOENIX.



Yearbook sales drive workers prepare for competition.



Art Club



Pictured (LEFT TO RIGHT): Mrs. Phyllis Minnick, Sponsor, Alice Cooper, Sgt at Arms, Darlene Freese, Secretary-Historian, Kim Sanders, Treasurer, Candy Mason, President, Pam Meredith, Vice President, Chuck Cox, Reporter, Sonja Brown, Chaplain
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 Fairchild, Rebecca Hines, Debra C. G., Art Sprakes
THIRD ROW Pam Meredith, J. G., George Brown, Ed Wagner,
 Richard C. G., Scott, James Mike McManis, G. G., Joe Kelly, H. G., Gary Allen
FOURTH ROW Holly C. G.,
 Karen, Thomas, Steve Harvey, Doug Yon, J. G., Sproles, Steve Sproles, Freddie G. G., Tom H. G., Donna, Dennis, Vickie Hash,
 Ricky Jones, Cindy Quisenberry, Mike Noorke G.

The Art Club, sponsored by Mrs. Phyllis Minnick, developed art skills and encouraged the appreciation of art by viewing, criticizing, and discussing displays of student and professional exhibits at school and away craft shows and school decorations. Members also enjoyed entering their works in various art competitions including the Mary Lula Tedder Art Award.

The Spanish Club, sponsored by Mrs. Bernice Hernandez, has had an outstanding year. There were many new members on hand for various club projects. In the course of the year, special speakers were present at the meetings. Members were visited by such local personalities as the Reverend Bob McGaughey and Professor W.L. Siemens from V.I. College, who gave interesting accounts of the lives of Spanish-speaking people around the world. The club members were recognized for their imaginative display of Homecoming decorations. The final, but perhaps best feature was the customary Spanish Fiesta in the spring.



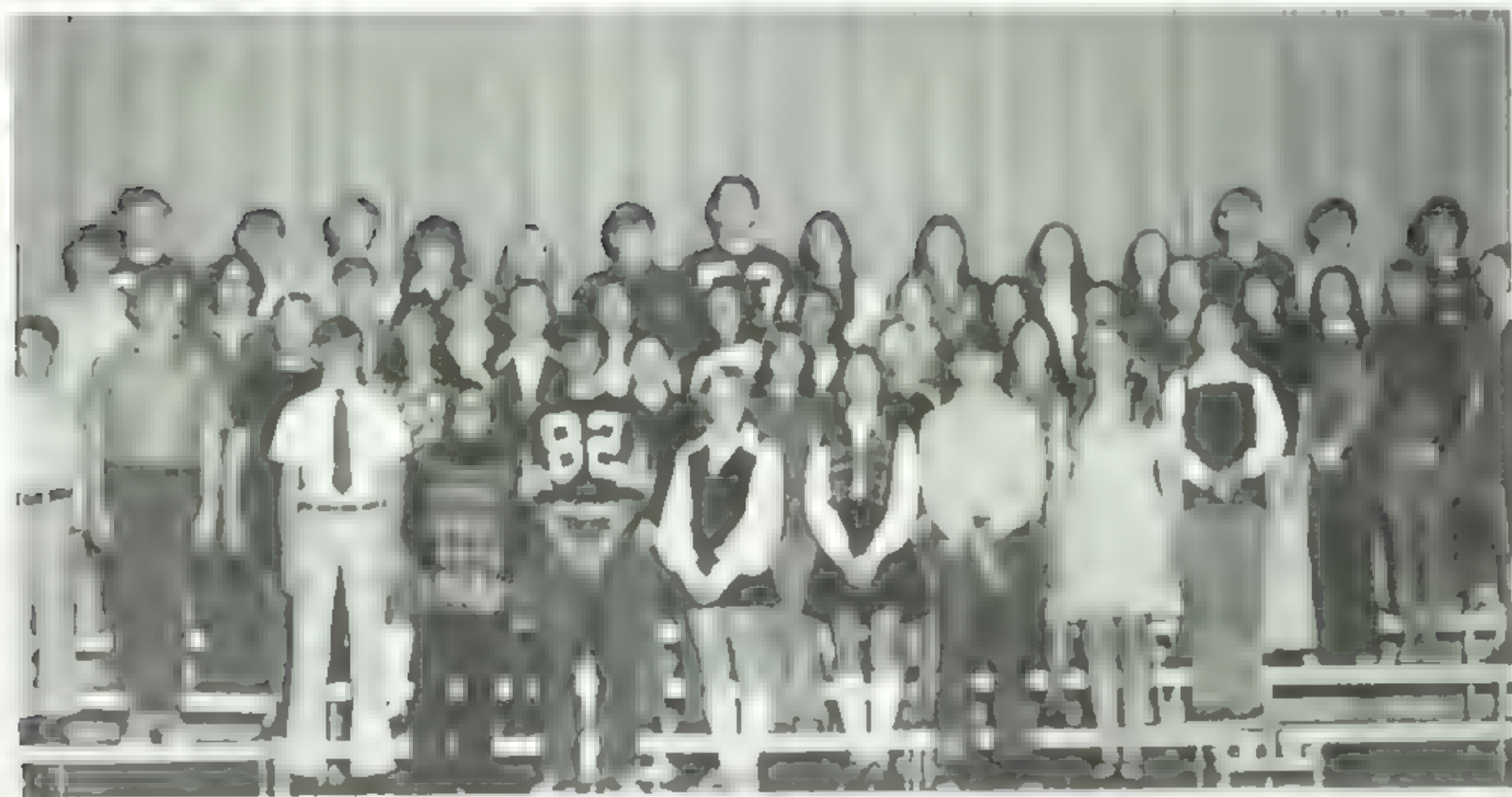
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Latin Club

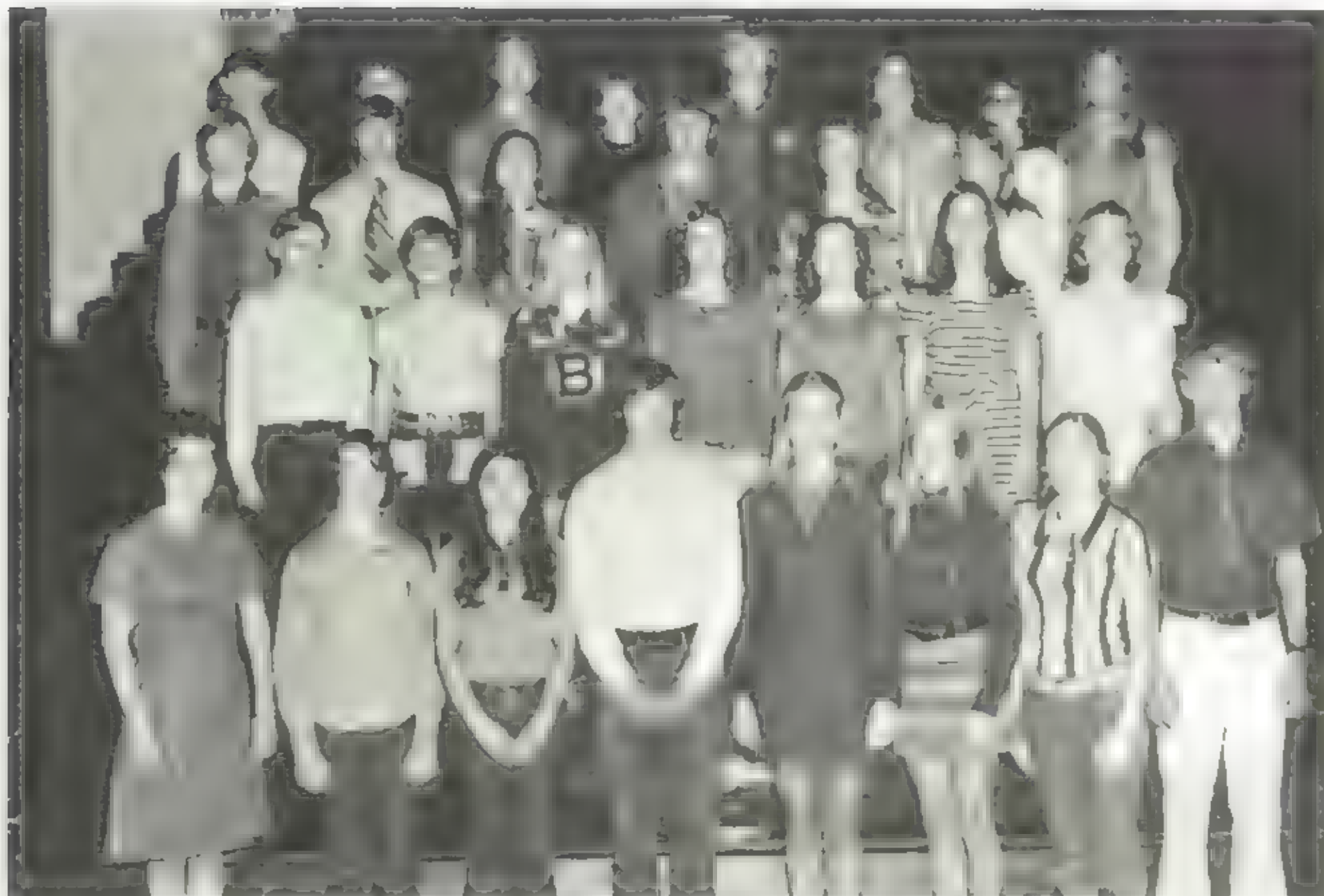
The Latin Club, sponsored by Miss Susan Austin, held a number of activities throughout the year relating to Latin and the Ancient Romans. At Christmas, small gifts were given to the teachers and the club sang Christmas carols in Latin. A slave sale was also held along with other activities. There was a Roman Banquet, and the year was traditionally concluded with the Latin Club Banquet.



Carman Hatley, Sandra Griffin, and Susie Counts discuss club activities with Miss Austin.



FIRST ROW TO RIGHT: Carman Hatley, Treasurer; Debbie DeKason, Secretary; Carman Hatley, President; Debbie Gering, Vice President; Anna Chavez, Secretary; John O'Keefe, Reporter; Miss Susan Austin, Sponsor. **SECOND ROW:** Neil Lantry, Greg Miller, Maria Martin, Katherine Williamson, John Shelby, Carol Finley, Ed Blevins, Regina Robinson, Donna Gaulton, April Davis. **THIRD ROW:** Mike Keith, Danny DeKris, Tony Bowers, Lisa Holt, Lori Ingram, Beth Sadegh, Connor Polov, David Wagner, Blanche Stark, Pat Trevino, Kathy Stark, Sandra Gaulton, Sue Cooper, Debbie Blevins. **FOURTH ROW:** Marty Sisco, Mike Keith, Emma Taylor, Carrie Davis, Suzanne Cox, James Sharp, Joe W. Lee, Lisa Jones, Tony Bowers, Kathy Robinson, Mary Beth Patton, David Anderson, David Flenner, Jeff Witt.



Pictured (LEFT TO RIGHT): Miss Rita McNew, Sponsor, John Hill, Vice President, Hope Simons, Chaplain, Mark Draper, President, Pam Harrison, Treasurer, Cindy McCauley, Historian, Sharon Dupont, Reporter, Phil Yon, Sgt. at Arms. **SECOND ROW:** Jon Loggans, Steve Leonard, Becky Neese, Julie Lee, Teresa Williams, Diana Jaap. **THIRD ROW:** Matt Savinsky, Ike Anderson, Rita Hicks, Roland Henslee, Karen Stine, Donna Tate. **FOURTH ROW:** Ricky Weatherly, Terry Leonard, Doug Yon, Leisa Lilly, Johnny Ross, Janet Helton, Debbie Keith, Donna Tate. Not pictured: Varma Woodward, Secretary.

The French Club, sponsored by Miss Rita McNew, desires to be of the greatest possible service to John S. Battle High School and to advance the interests of club members in French language, culture and civilization. To achieve this goal, people visit the club who are either native French speakers or have visited France recently. At Christmas some needy family or individual was aided. The annual picnic was held in the spring.

The French Club is supported by dues and by the proceeds from bake sales.

Senior Science



FRONT ROW: Don Baker, Edna Baker, Kathy K. Baker, Edna Baker, Edna Baker, Ann Baker, Edna Baker, Mary Baker. **SECOND ROW:** Martha Lester, Sue Murphy, Ike Anderson, Mike Kier, Sam Weller, Edna Baker, Edna Baker, Edna Baker. **THIRD ROW:** Edna Baker, Ann Baker, Edna Baker, Karen Stem, Cheryl Duty, Rita Shuffey, Diane Duty, Doris Clendemon, Lyn Sheffield, Carl Jesse. **FOURTH ROW:** Teresa Bott, Barbara Countess, David Anderson, Keith Farmer, Doug Yon, Larry James, Bo Snodgrass, Jeff Witt.

The Senior Science Club is an academic organization which is sponsored by Mrs. Dorothy Daughtrey. All members have an overall B average and show evidence of above average interest and achievement in Science.

The main activity of members this year was preparation of research papers for local, state, and national competitions. Students who passed the preliminary Westinghouse National Competition went to Williamsburg to participate in the Virginia Science Talent Search.

Senior Science Club activities this year included participation in the local science fair, lake sales, decorating for Homecoming and the sponsorship of the Senior Science vs. Faculty Volleyball game.



FIRST ROW: Al Moore, Mike Spivey, Nick Smith, George Cook, Dick Anderson, Earl Young, Louis Jordan, Guy Davis, Shirley Jeff King, Elmer Cady, Carl Sgaitano, Miss Gay Moore, Susan. **SECOND ROW:** Tom Phillips, Bob Browning, Joe Burckle, Ed McGee, Cheryl Lee, John Young, Joann Myers, Joan Quachera, Ear Smith, Ann Cloninger, David Carter, Cleo Mumpower. **THIRD ROW:** Kate Jager, Sandy Shaker, Marjorie Johnson, Dorey Sher, Wagner Lee, Wayne Roy Hick, Sharon Dupont, Sam Deaton, Jane Newcomb, Mr. Johnson, Chae Moore, Eric Dent. **FOURTH ROW:** Dean McCrex, Bill Gashen, Car Gibson, Jerry Miller, Sam White, Red Jackson, April Dewey, Rocky Campbell, Donna Graham, Tommy Miller, Chuck Deering, Mark Fader, Earl Young, David Walter. **FIFTH ROW:** Andy Barker, Pam Lingo, Sam Blawie, Ann Scott, Brenda Millard, Brenda Millard, Susan Cole, Tina Smith, Kachu Tolley, Ron Jaap, Kenny Frazier, Jimmy Moore. **SIXTH ROW:** Margaret Alex Savinsky, Amy Thompson, Gwen Colbert, Jackie Horner, Tim Duff, Larry King, Bruce Bently, Jeff Crytzer, Jayde Flacco, Dan Kane, Ross Moss, Neil Jorjaky. **SEVENTH ROW:** Mark Fetter, Jan Walter, Fay Brown, Jack Hagar, Hunter Odom, Leroy Dinkle, Mike Rock, John Combs, Teddy Carrier, Tony Ramsey, Wayne Fades.

The Junior Science Club sponsored by Mrs. Joan Minnick and Mrs. Gay Meade strives to promote better knowledge in the field of sciences, to encourage scientific interest, and to promote academic achievement in science. The club's interests of the year were photography and astronomy. Through field trips the members expanded and enriched their knowledge and understanding of basic scientific concepts. Jr. Science activities included bake sales, home-coming activities, school spirit promotion and a picnic to end the year's work.

Physics Club



Pictured (LEFT TO RIGHT): Jack Wagner, President, Steve Spires, Secretary, Kathy Fraser, Sgt. at Arms, Gale Leonard, Vice President, Darry Bowman, Reporter-Historian, Lyle Parker, Treasurer, Bo Smidgrass. SECOND ROW: Mr. James Loggins, Sponsor, Terry Dickson, Danny Dye, Ike Anderson, Janet Cappalli, Steve Robinson, Blaine Morris, Carl Jesse.

The Physics Club is composed of students taking Physics. The purpose of the Physics Club is to promote the acquisition of skills in reasoning and research, practical knowledge in science with emphasis on Physics, social and service activities, sponsorship of programs, speakers, and publications to better inform the students of the physical world.

The fourteen members of the club under the sponsorship of Mr. J.W. Loggins, decided to put out a school newspaper. It was published bi-monthly.

The Physics Club planned an appearance on Classroom Kwiz. The club also made plans for an annual field trip.



Pictured (LEFT TO RIGHT): Mrs. Elaine T. Doty, Sponsor; Marsha Snader, Trina Barlow, Debbie Singleton, Mrs. Shelah Gregg, Sponsor. **SECOND ROW:** Teresa Butt, Debbie Wulher, Debbie Osborne, Larry Anselmi, Karen Smith, Cathy Hawk, Celesti Tuell, Eva Barker, Debbie Taylor. **THIRD ROW:** Kenny Robinson, Jesse Hill, Danny Harlow, Loretta Duckell, Brenda Elenor, James White, Kent Tignor, Phil Parris, Debbie Hayden, Penny Sourheer, Dennis Dutton.

The Library Club, sponsored by Mrs. Elaine Doty and Mrs. Shelah Gregg, played a major role in keeping the library operating smoothly. Many members of the club volunteered to assist the librarians during their study periods. The girls are responsible for keeping books, cards, and magazines in order; the boys work in the audio-visual department, helping teachers use the available equipment. Besides the usual duties of the members, the club held bake sales, provided Christmas gifts for a child at the orphanage, entertained the faculty at a tea, and planned a picnic in the spring. A great portion of the club funds are used to improve the appearance of the library and to make it a more pleasant place in which to work. The objectives of the club are to improve the school library and audio-visual service, arouse further enthusiasm for books and reading, and encourage interest in the library profession.



Library Club members. Student (LEFT) and (RIGHT) are strict, proper ed. com. in usage of equipment.

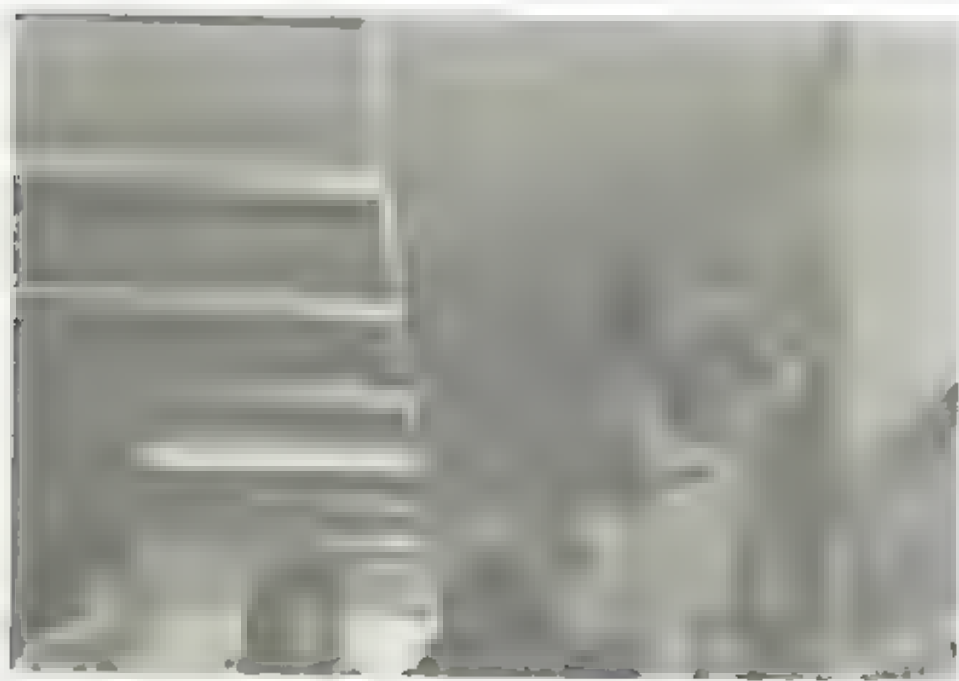
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Distributive Education refers to vocational education for those students preparing for or engaged in distributing goods and services to the public including all retail, wholesale, and service occupations. Distributive Education offers preparatory instruction for students desiring to explore distribution as a career, seeking a broader knowledge of the principles of free enterprise, or building a foundation for continuing education relating to distribution. Its purpose is also to provide vocational instruction for individuals already employed or preparing to enter these occupations followed by proprietors, managers, or employees in distribution.

The Distributive Education Program of John S. Battle High School has an enrollment of 66 students, twenty-six in D.E. I, twenty-three in D.E. II, and seventeen in D.E. III. Forty-three of these students are working in twenty-five distributive businesses of the Bristol area. These students have an average hourly wage of \$1.53 and will earn approximately \$100,000 collectively this school year.



FRONT ROW (LEFT TO RIGHT) Peggy Merrick, Kathryn Burton, Mary Ann Prescher, Anthony, and Fred Jeff. NANCY OWEN, LUCY, DEAN, BERNICE, SUNDAY. SECOND ROW: Mr. Gove, Ann, Matt, Susan, Donna, Ostrander, James, Emily, David, Peter, Charles, Linda, and Leonard. CATHY WILSON, GENE, PATTY, PEGGY, DOROTHY, DORIS, HARLOW. THIRD ROW: John Hawkins, Steve, Victor, James, Carter, and Ed Press. GUY, BAKER, JOHN, WILSON, GENE, and MARY. PEGGY, BEAR, TRINA, BARBARA, JANE, WHITAKER. FOURTH ROW: John, DORIS, JAMES, BARBARA, DAVID, LUCY, GUY, DONNA, TERRY, JANE, HIL, WILSON, CURTIS, FELIX, CURTIS, ROSE.

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Club members decorate for Homecoming

So then every one of us shall give account of himself to God." Romans 14:12



Pictured (LEFT TO RIGHT): Lissa Wiseman, Historian, Mary Young, Treasurer, Teresa Williams, Chaplain, Debbie Hayden, Vice President, Elaine Williams, President, Wanda Dishner, Secretary, Joyce Barker, Parliamentarian, Shonda Atkins, Sgt. at Arms, Jo Ann Robinson, Reporter, Mrs. Margaret French, Sponsor. SECOND ROW: Corinne Tuell, Kay Carter, Vicki Wright, Patsy Bice, Debbie Vance, Rose Nunez, Denise Frohling, Gail Swift. Cynthia Perry, Not pictured. Mrs. Margie Duckworth, Sponsor.



The Future Business Leaders of America Club is designed to give its members a better understanding of the business world. Those belonging to the club must be taking at least one business subject and maintain a C average. The Club's sponsors are Mrs. Margie Duckworth and Mrs. Margaret French.

F. B. L. A. Club officers pose for Virginia Tennessean shot



Pictured (LEFT TO RIGHT): Miss Janette Martin, Advisor, Laura Braddock, Historian, Teresa Wright, National F H A Week Officers, Pat Adkins, Recreation Leader, Janet Burrage, Parliamentarian, Jeanne Houser, Reporter, Rita Whicker, Degrees Secretary, Cecile Curren, Treasurer, Cathie McCarty, Vice President, Virginia Foxworth, Working Secretary, Delora Hickey, Corresponding Secretary, Nancy Hutton, Mary Goff, Public Relations, Anna O'Connell, Assistant Secretary, Sissy Jones, Staff Secretary, Mary Smith, and Miss Ruth McNair, Advisor. **SECOND ROW:** Lisa Lund, Pat Colley, Margaret Smith, Janet Murray, Phyllis Houser, Kathleen Jones, Betty Hoot, Susan Baker, Elizabeth Dandrea, Dorcas Adams, Dorcas Phillips, Karen Smith. **THIRD ROW:** Pat Smith, Jan O'Connell, Ed Stevens, Sandra Jones, Teresa Hutton, Sarah Leckie, Dorcas Hoot, Vicki Hoot, Kathleen Hawk, Mitchell Fawcett, Jerry McLean, Becky Miller, Edna Hoot. **FOURTH ROW:** Sherry Norrell, Cindy Hoot, Dorcas Phillips, Cecile Hoot, Sarah Braddock, Gail Jones, Tina Stewart, Patricia Campbell, Sissy Spindley, Susan Foxworth, Dorcas Adams, Kathy Curren, Della Singleton, Cathie Moore. **FIFTH ROW:** Teresa Wooten, Heidi McCracken, Betty Smith, Margaret Phillips, Cathie Hoot, Vicki Hoot, Vicki Merriam, Teresa Wright, Vicki Scott, Sue Murphy, Linda Wooten, Margaret Jones, Sarah Hoot, Sylvia Cole. **SIXTH ROW:** Jan Burley, Brenda Noles, Dorcas Hoot, Terrell Saxton, Edna Hoot, Tina Young, Kathy Foxworth, Ann Smith, Cathie Curren, Doreen Curren, Teresa Curren, Linda Phillips. **SEVENTH ROW:** Janet Murray, Susan Owen, Becky Norrell, Kathy Hoot, Sandra Hoot, Delora Hoot, Janet Murray, Linda McCracken, Della Wooten, Nina Grizzle. **EIGHTH ROW:** Carolyn Keith, Kathy Rankins, Eva Hughes, Robin Colley.

The F H A is one of the most active clubs at Battle. It has excellent national and federation affiliation. Battle's chapter is proud to have Carolyn Gallimore represent the chapter as Vice President of the Smywasee Federation. One hundred members are actively involved in carrying out this year's Program of Work, "Our Future As Homemakers and Decisions That Count." The club's community project was helping to provide food, clothing, and housing needs for an adopted family.

Social activities the club sponsored include the annual Christmas Ball, fall and spring picnics, and several activities during National F H A Week, April 1-7, including Senior Appreciation Day, Twenty Appreciation Day, and the annual Mother, Father, Daughter Banquet.

F H A CREED

We are the Future Homemakers of America
We face the future with warm courage and high hope
For we have the clear consciousness of seeking
Old and precious values

For we are the builders of homes
Homes for America's future
Homes where living will be the expression of everything
That is good and fair
Homes where truth and love and security and faith
Will be realities, not dreams

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Pictured LEFT TO RIGHT: Virginia Edwards, Recording Secretary, Cathy McCord, Vice President, Carolyn Gilmore, President, Jo Wheeler, Degree Secretary, Debbie Holden, Correspondence Secretary, Mary Beth Fenton, Treasurer. SECOND ROW: Jennie Houser, Reporter, Martha Lester, Treasurer, Pat Adkins, Recreation Leader, Susie Jones, Song Leader, Lynn Nerves, Historian, Anna Choresevic, Recreation Leader, Laura Brothbeck, Historian, Janet Burnett, Parliamentarian

G A A

The Girls' Athletic Association had one of its finest years during the 1972-73 school session. A successful year began with the girls' basketball team winning five games out of the season. During the holidays Christmas spirit was shown by G. A. A. members when articles of clothing, food, and presents were donated to a needy family through the Santa Pal organization. While the March of Dimes was having their yearly crusade against birth defects, members of the G. A. A. volunteered to help by selling peanuts in the Bristol area. The girls began practicing early for track to assure themselves a winning season.

Perhaps the most spectacular display of talent of G. A. A. members was the 1973 Gym Show held in April. The show featured modern dancing, exercises on the rings, horse, and parallel bars, comedies or commercials, and featuring Miss Cornucopia, Miss King, and Miss Robbins, and the girls produced a fantastic show.

Toward the end of the year the G. A. A. held its annual banquet for its members. Awards, letters, and thanks were received by outstanding girls, athletes and their leaders. The club advisor is Miss Julie Cornucopia.



FROM LEFT TO RIGHT: Diane Evans, Reporter, Carol Allen, Treasurer, Dees Cornucopia, Vice President, Margaret Egan, Secretary, Jennifer Hutton, Chairman, Andrea Edwards, Secretary, Susan Brown, Squad Arms. **SECOND ROW:** Karen Butler, Kathy Buckner, Debbie Taylor, Tammy Campbell, Lynn Barker, Sheri Hoyle, Linda Ford, Betty Campbell, Debra Hilder, Donna Cornucopia, C. H. Meade, Kelly Kell, Jean Cornucopia, Linda Warden. **THIRD ROW:** Beth Seagraves, Debra Mangow, Cindy Sullivan, Lisa Davidson, Lisa Johnson, Kim Cornucopia, Edie Owens, Barbara Pappas, Carol Owens, Kelly Stark, Island Smith. **FOURTH ROW:** Carol Jessen, Amy Jensen, Amy Pappas, Kelly McNamara, Debbie Hawkins, Laura Dey, Jean Denny, Lori Hicks, Lisa Moore, Jean Allen, Susan Phillips. **FIFTH ROW:** Carol Hawkins, Debra Wagner, Kelly Robinson, Beth Nason, Amy Smith, Linda Warden, Lisa May, Lee Ann Horvath, Linda McCord, Cindy Vengose. **SIXTH ROW:** Pam McLaughlin, Donna Cornucopia, Tracy Cornucopia, Ed Allen, Carolyn Sheen, Patricia Koser, Jo Betty, Carol Kozelle, Susan Cornucopia, Susan Callahan, Mary Beth Taylor. **SEVENTH ROW:** Karen Horta, Waki Ed Wadner, Debra Greening, Tammy Pappas, Debra Jap, Carolyn Egan, Edie Cornucopia, Kathy Taylor, Anna Nason, Regina Roberts, Debra Meade. **EIGHTH ROW:** Amy Cornucopia, Kim Koser, Debra Taylor, Becky Nason, Amy Seales, Barbara Young, Lisa Jensen, Cheryl Helms, Lisa Taylor, Debra Spores, Susan Faulkner, Velma Mays, Debbie Collins, Celeste Tuell.



Pictured (LEFT TO RIGHT) Coach Don Prudemore, Sponsor, Darryl Johnson, Sgt. at Arms, Roland Heesler, Reporter, Bryan Yone, President, Darryl Day, Vice President, Be Snodgrass, Secretary, Scotty Raspike, Treasurer, Coach William Halstead, Sponsor, Coach Howard Webb, Sponsor. **SECOND ROW** Gary Boothe, Randy Berry, Mike Bailey, Johnny Ross, Ike Anderson, Jerry Dickson, Vernon Cornish, Doug Moss, Mark Wingate, Sam Wagner, Larry Mabe, Darrell Messer. **THIRD ROW** Mike Bell, Duane Campbell, Johnny Marion, Danny Munpower, Steve Harvey, Steve Vickers, Craig Millorn, Tim Labor, Steve Robinson, Jerry Clousier, Betsy Phelps, Betsy Williams, Bonnie Hawk. **FOURTH ROW** Wayne Dixon, Mark Draper, Pat Fitzgerald, Kelly Callaway, Dale Haxler, Doug Hawthorne, Junior Snodgrass, David Young, Bruce Morris, Jeff Munpower, Kemper Meade.



Pictured (LEFT TO RIGHT) Coach Don Prudemore, Sponsor, Coach William Halstead, Sponsor, Coach Howard Webb, Sponsor.

The B-Club membership is made up of lettermen of the six sports at John Battle High School. Some of the main purposes of this club are to sponsor projects to assist the athletic department, to improve participation in all phases of the athletic program, to improve school spirit, and to assist the school in general. The B-Club endeavored to do anything possible that might build more pride in the athletic program, and more pride within our school and community. Funds are raised through concessions at basketball games and sock hops following Friday night home games. The club's main project this year is to purchase another trophy case which will be placed in the front entrance of the main building.

Key Club



FROM LEFT TO RIGHT: Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Sanner, Sam Wagner, Bo Snodgrass, Secretary, Jerry Chismeyrie, Vice President, Vera Jesse, Club Sweetheart, Edna and Vernon Mark Draper, Sgt. at Arms, Terry Dickson, Treasurer, Robbie Kegley, Mr.

Under the supervision of Mr. John Peltier and Mr. Ralph Booher, Key Club members sponsored an outstanding Homecoming Dance as their major activity for the year.

Besides this annual event, the club also participated in the annual Kiwanis Club "Pancake Sale" in downtown Bristol. During Christmas, members gathered presents and donated them to members of a local boys' club.

The Key Club is responsible for the upkeep of the sign at the school's entrance.

Key Club



John D. Parker, Secretary, SECOND ROW: Scott Spivey, Cathy Jones, Betty Miles, Nancy Ross, Kay Oden, J. K. O'Farrell, Evelyn Lee, Kelli Galloway, Steve L. THIRD ROW: Doreen Tucker, Jack Wagner, K. Anderson, Mark Lee, Larry Clegg, Hutchins, Jeff Mumpower, Bryan Yoho



Key Club Officers. Pictured (LEFT TO RIGHT): Lyle Parker, President, Vera Jessee, Club Sweetheart, Jerry Chou, Secretary, Bo Snodgrass, Secretary, Terry Dickson, Treasurer, Mark Draper, Sgt. at Arms

Alpha Tri-Hi-Y



Pictured (LEFT TO RIGHT): Miss Jane Cuddy, Sponsor, Becky Anderson, School Projects Chairman, Liz Anderson, Treasurer, Doris Clendenen, Secretary, Mark Wingate, Club Sweetheart, Teresa Kilby, President, Angela Smith, Vice President, Debbie Holden, Chaplain, Mary McCall, Joy, Debra, Kay, Cathy, Wanda, Sue, Cheryl, and Elaine. **SECOND ROW:** Deborah, Patricia, and Elwyn Heenor, Teresa Byington, Lee Ann Hunsucker, Pam Mays, Debbie Johnson, Terry Smith, Judy Hunsucker, Beverly Rose. **THIRD ROW:** Eva Barker, Darlene Denton, Darlene Freese, Holly Sparf, Kathy Gallimore, Janet Burnette, Celeste Tuell, Trina Barlow, Kathy Harrison. **FOURTH ROW:** Debbie Long, Rita Whicker, Teresa Wright, Carolyn Gallimore, Laura Brobeck, Cathy McAnley, Linda Warden, Mary Young. **FIFTH ROW:** Kathy Rankins, Becky Nunez, Darlene Holden, Renee Edwards, Leslie Ford, Vicki Morrison.



Tri-Hi-Y bake sale receives active support from student body

The Alpha Tri-Hi-Y is a school and community service club affiliated with the Y M C A. Membership is open to any girl willing to support the Hi-Y purpose of "creating, maintaining and extending throughout the home, school, and community high standards of Christian character."

For school projects this year club members served as guides for College Day, put up bulletin boards in the school, participated in a teachers' aid project, and helped with homecoming decorations.

Community projects included visits to Bristol nursing homes and the children's ward at Bristol Memorial Hospital. Gifts of fruit baskets and magazines were taken to patients in nursing homes; birthday parties were given to Bristol Nursing Home patients; programs were also presented. Gifts of toys and books were taken to the children's ward at the hospital. Club members had an Easter egg hunt for children at the Lane Hanan Home. The Alpha Tri-Hi-Y had a Santa Pal at Christmas, helped with the March of Dimes Bread Sale, the World Service Project and other fund raising projects sponsored by the community and the Y M C A.



FRONT ROW (LEFT TO RIGHT): Mrs. Linda Long, Sponsor, Mrs. Marlene McCall, Sponsor, Cynthia Galloway, Vice President, Carl Shuck, Treasurer, Bob Wicks, Editor, Linda Wright, Reporter, Mrs. Marlene McCall, Sponsor. **SECOND ROW:** Kathleen Tomaszewski, Patricia Warren, Ted S. Lewis, Kiki Kell, Debbie Riddle, Steve McCune, Bruce Young, Dr. John Thomas, John Gering, John Morris. **THIRD ROW:** Twana Blackwell, Janet Otey, Linda Owens, Vera Jessee, Pam Mays, Teresa Williams, Teresa Blackburn, Karen Savinski, Rhonda Jones. **FOURTH ROW:** Linda Wright, Lisa James, Lori Branson, Beverly Long, Cindy Szulewski, Kathy Thompson, Twila Garrett, Pam Jessee.

The Junior Civette Club is composed exclusively of girls who are either Freshmen, Sophomores, Juniors, or Seniors. The club helped such organizations as the Christmas Seal Society and the March of Dimes. The club served refreshments and helped as guides to the College Day program at Battie. The Civettes worked jointly with the Junior Civitan Club of Battie and the Abingdon Civitans to accomplish several community activities such as the Miss Washington County Beauty Pageant and to promote good citizenship among the youth of the community. Each year selected members attend the Appalachian District Junior Civitan Convention. The club's sponsors are Mrs. Linda Long and Mrs. Marlene McCall.



Junior Marching Band



Senior Marching Band

Members by section: FLUTES — Pam Harrison, Angela Smith, Pam Mays, Kathy Gallimore, Leisa Jones, Cindy McCauley, Lee Ann Hunsucker, Becky Nunez, Teresa Venable, Loretta Duckett. CLARINETS — Greg Martin, Steve Spires, Sherda Denton, Debbie Tate, Laurie Duty, Reba Fleenor, Teresa Byington, Debbie Mumpower, Renee Edwards, Sylvia Cole, Dayna Baker, Lisa Ford, Selu White, Gina Brown, Teresa Symonds, Debbie Long, Wayne Statzer, Jenny Low Miller, Lynn Ornduff, Linda Jones, Patty Gallimore, Marie Mullins, Rhonda Burkes. SAXOPHONES — Linda Owens, Bill Burkholder, Regina Robertson, Tommy Lake, Mike De... SOLOS — Frank W... DRUMS — ... VIBES — ... STEEL DRUMS — ... FRENCH HOBNS — ... EDWINA FLEENOR. BARITONES — Diane Duty, Perry Dalton, Jo Ann Robinson. TROMBONES — Mark Wingate, Dwight Harley, Ricky Sams, Terryl Smith, Donnie Bunyon. BASSES — Eddie Sproles, Linda Wright, Debbie Phipps, Tim Hanger, Kathy Rankins. PERCUSSION — Sam Wagner, Eddie Smith, Mark Denton, Terry Kutzmiller, George Hutchinson, Mike Mullins.

Band



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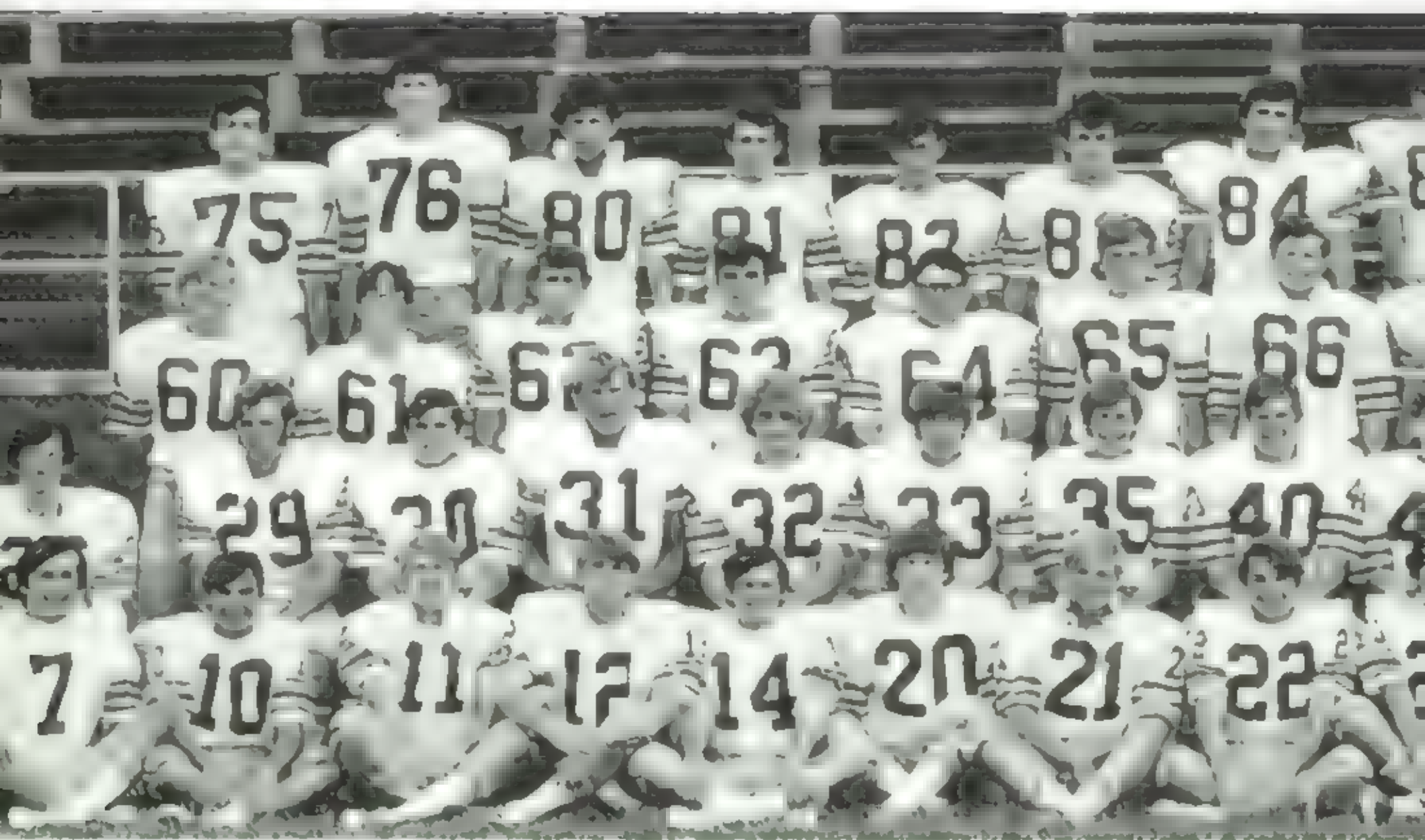
All Regional Band Members





SPORTS

Varsity Football



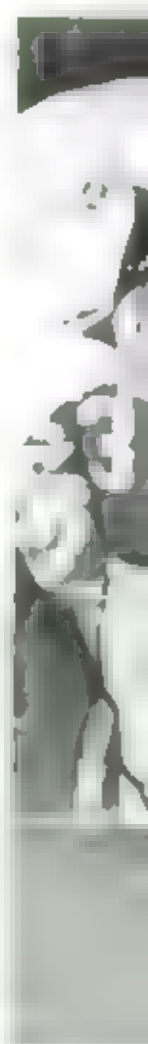
FROM LEFT TO RIGHT: Back Row: Jerry Jorke, Scott Reelke, Doug Smith, Terry Decker, Kevin Gibson, Brent Goodie, Mike Anderson, B. Snider, Mike Anderson, Keith Farmer, Raymond Wilson, Mark Decker, Kelly Calloway. SECOND ROW: Kenny Jones, Jeff Marpower, Terry Cooper, Gary Hodge, Jerry Anderson, Brent Farmer, David Sexton, Ron Kelley, Brady Jones, Mike Young, Mike Bell, Eric Wilson, Matt Stevens. THIRD ROW: Phil Young, Benj. Phelps, Donnie Campbell, Darny Johnson, Neal Smith, Chris Jones, Marty Slomp, Richard Hunter, Bob Winters, Waco, Steve Brady, Brent Decker, Marpower. FOURTH ROW: Doug Smith, Steve Hodge, Eric Smith, Pat Edwards, Gary Jones, Brent Morris, Bryan Yoho, David Bell.



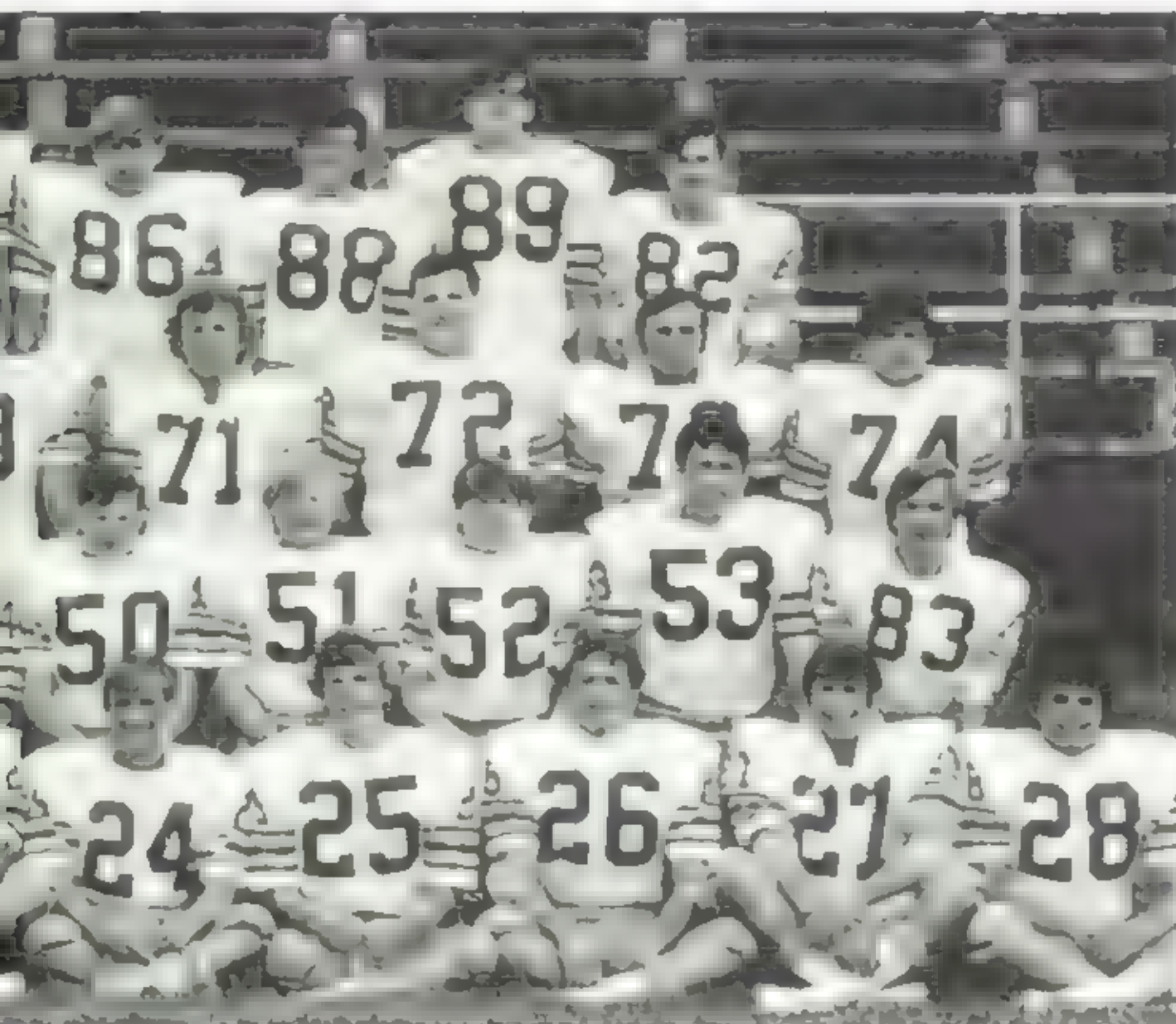
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Varsity Football



Henry Green



Jim Butler



Joe Garrett



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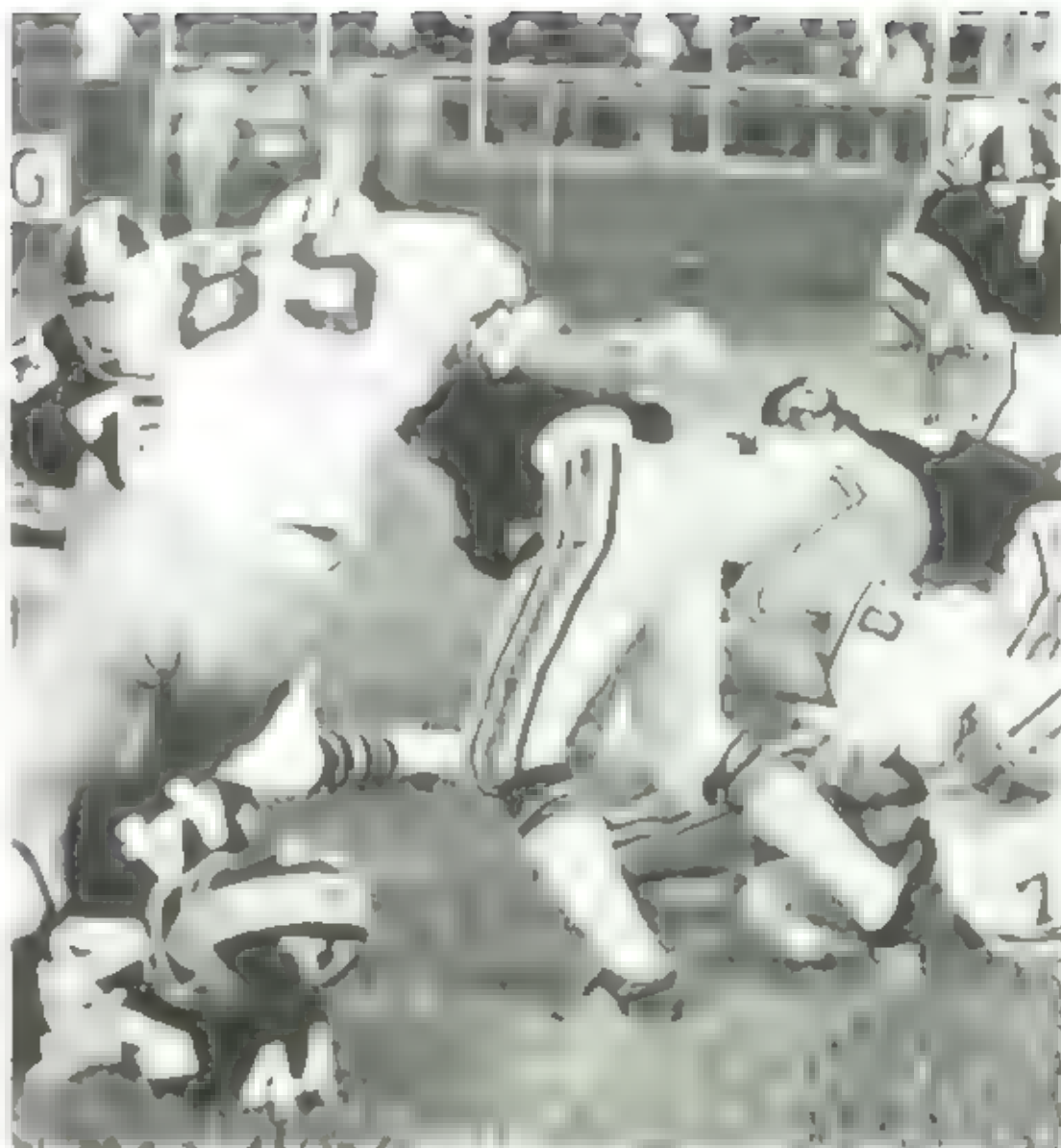
Football

The Trojans opened the 1972 football season with a thrilling victory over crosstown rival Virginia High. The Trojans came from behind three times to outscore the Beareats 20-19.

The next two weeks were dark for the Trojans. Tennessee High put on an impressive 39-0 offensive show, and the Kingsport Indians romped to a 42-12 victory.

The Trojans bounced back to tie district foe Abingdon 0-0 in a rain deluge. Darius Johnson played an outstanding defensive game claiming 14 unassisted tackles.

Once defeated Gate City routed the Trojans 52-7 in another district game. Jerry Chorosevic scored Battle's lone TD.



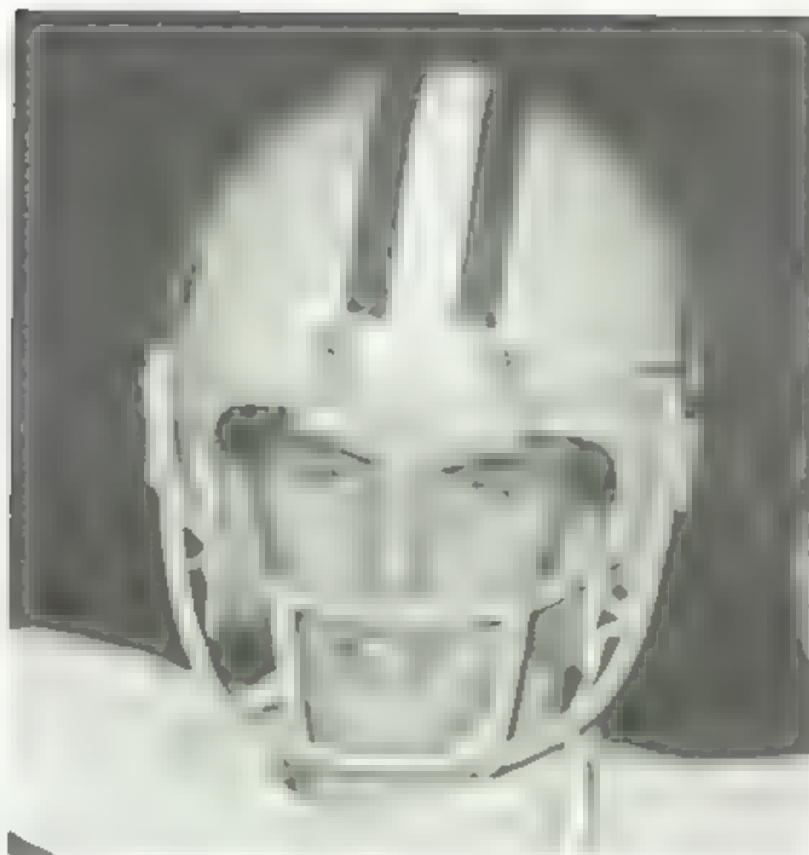
Greg Yoho moves in on defense



Mike Venable rambles against Virginia High



Darius Johnson was named Southwest District's Lineman-of-the-Year



Bo Snodgrass was named first team defense in Southwest District



Gary Boothe kicks an extra point

Football

The Trojans returned with a 25-22 win over Patrick Henry. Coming from behind, the Trojans combined a strong defensive game with the scoring of Mike Venable and Bo Snodgrass to mar the Rebels homecoming.

The Trojans pushed their season record to 3-3-1 with a victory over Graham. Battle played its best offensive game of the year.

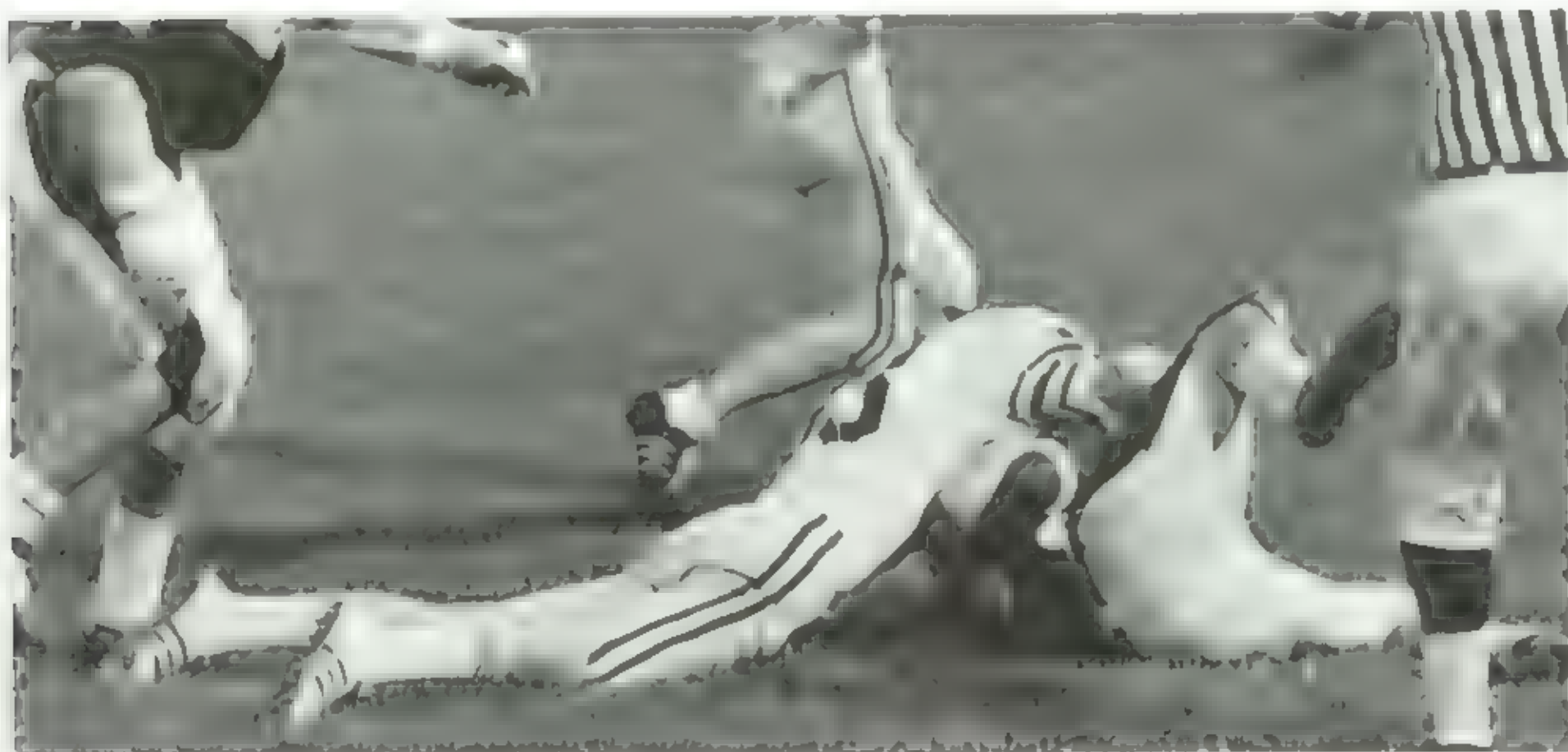
John Battle almost pulled off an upset against East High. Gary Boothe kicked a 45 yard field goal for Battle's only score. The defensive squad was outstanding and held the Patriots to one T.D.

Another rainy Friday night and another wet football game, the Trojans tied Marion 14-14 in a mud bath.

The season ended with a 21-14 loss to Tazewell. The Trojans were scored on three times in the first quarter and had started a second half comeback when the time ran out.



Bo Snodgrass moves up the field against Abingdon

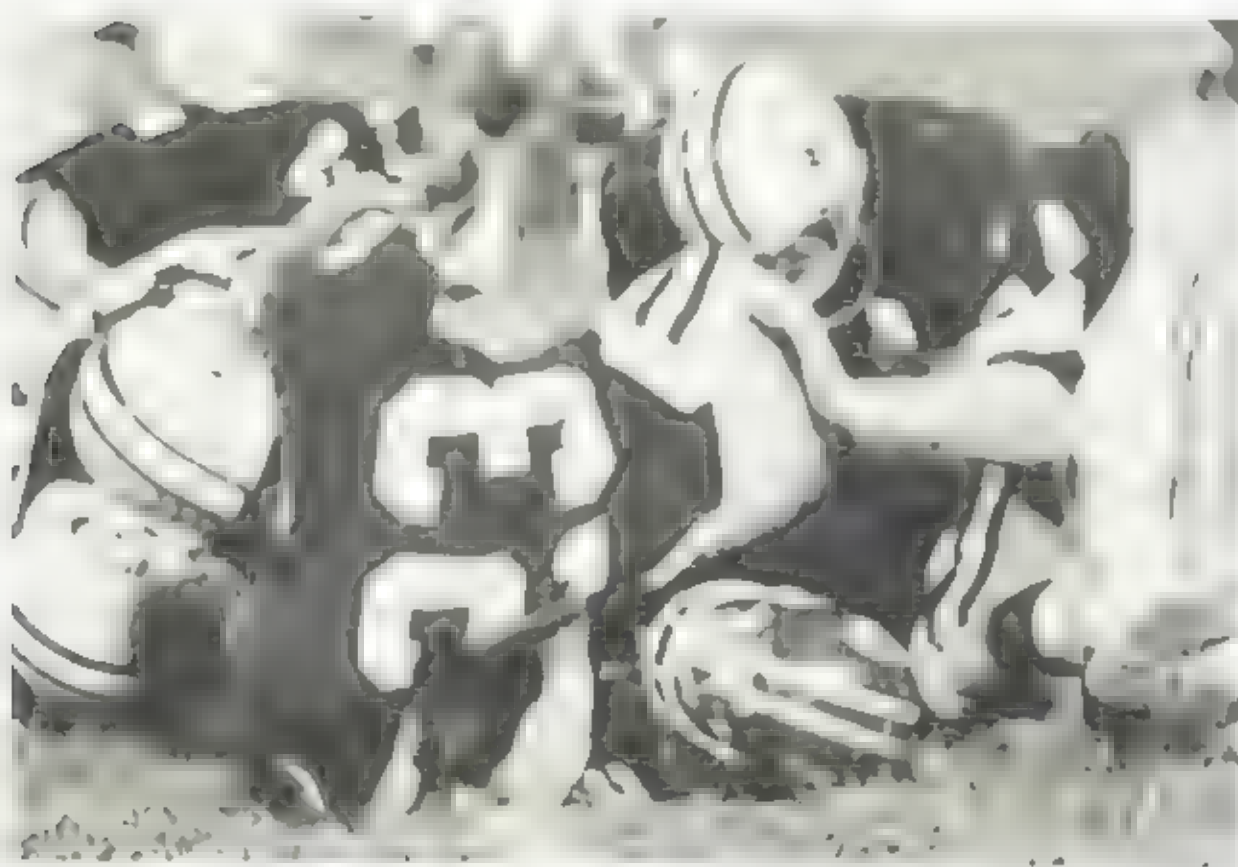


Ike Anderson nails a Bearcat



Trojans on defense

The 1972 football season ended with a 15-2 record. Graduates who are Scottie Rasnake, Darrell Sproles, Lewis Dickson, B. Soderberg, Jeff Munpower, Gary Boothe, Ike Anderson, Joe Wilson, Neal Smith, Ronald Henderson, Bobby Whitaker, Wayne Dixon, Blaine Morris, Bryan Yoho, and Johnny Ross.



G-Man is tackled by Trojans

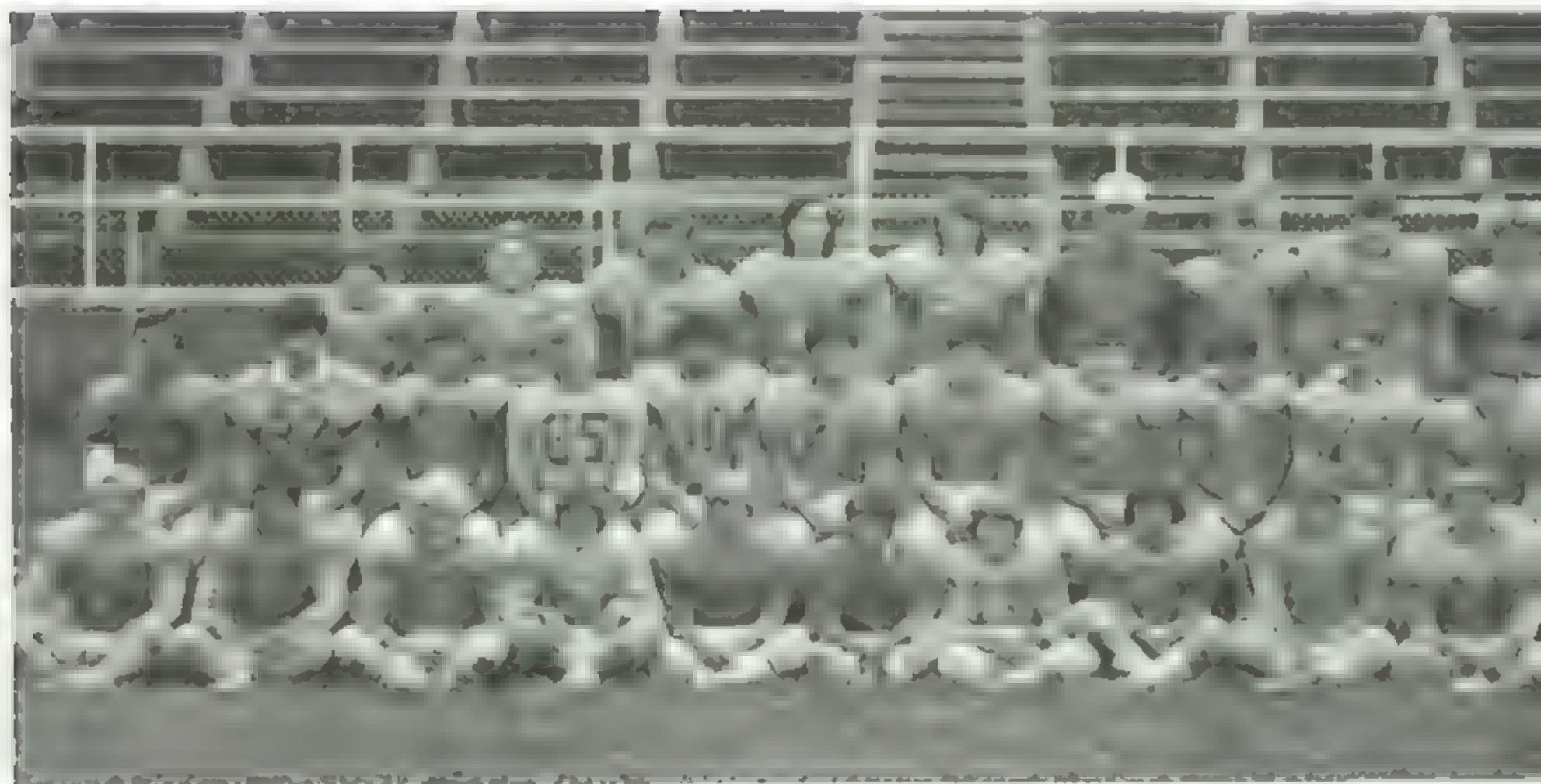


TOUCHDOWN!

Eighth and Ninth Grade Football

N i n t h G r a d e

Good ball players and a maximum amount of coaching produced a record of 4 wins and 4 losses. These wins included Virginia High twice and a sound, convincing win over Tennessee High and Holston Valley. The men that composed this team should in another year help strengthen the varsity.



Pictured (LEFT TO RIGHT): Darrell Johnson, Glenn Long, Mark Campbell, Mark Morgan, Tim Duff, Darrell Simeox, Bruce Smith, James Elmore, Don Smith, Greg Hopkins, Tony Tench, Mike Weaver, Coach Don Pridemore. SECOND ROW: [Names are too blurry to transcribe accurately]. THIRD ROW: [Names are too blurry to transcribe accurately].

Eighth and Ninth Grade Football



Pictured (LEFT TO RIGHT) Dennis Dutton, Richard Cannon, Richard Seutner, James Johnson, Gary Combs, John Sheffield, Earnest Widner, Jimmy Moore, Chester M...er, ...er, Gerald Bryant. SECOND ROW: Coach Joe Garrett, Allen Hughes, Paul Young, Jimmy Carter, Ron Japp, Mark S... Jack Wisenbarger, Ernie Newland, Christopher Shimp, Ralph Hyington, Mark Hyler, Bobby Bright, and Coach Henry Green.



John S. Battle's eighth grade team culminated their 3-4 season with an 18-12 victory over the Patrick Henry Rebels.

This year's squad was an aggressive and enthusiastic team led by co-captains David Pennington and Gilmer Meade. The young Trojans showed the spunk early with an impressive victory over Gate City. A victory over Abingdon rounded out the winning side of the ledger.

With the talent and spirit shown early by these youngsters, Trojan territory will be on the rise in the coming years.

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Girls' Basketball



Pictured (LEFT TO RIGHT) Coach John Carnahan, Pam Brown, Bette Pitsen, Susan Warren, Betty Campbell, Margaret Lagergren, Captain Kathy Koch, Lyn Sheffield, Amy Betty, Kathy Robinson, Deborah Hedden, Susan Brown, Margery Boland, Nancy, Sandy Dixon.



Kathy Koch levers for the basket



Trotting girls warm up



Patsy Owens shoots two

The girls' basketball team under the leadership of Coach Julia Carmichel and Captain Kathy Koch compiled a 5-7 record and lost the district title to Marion.

The J.V.'s, playing their first basketball for John Battle, had a 2-10 season.

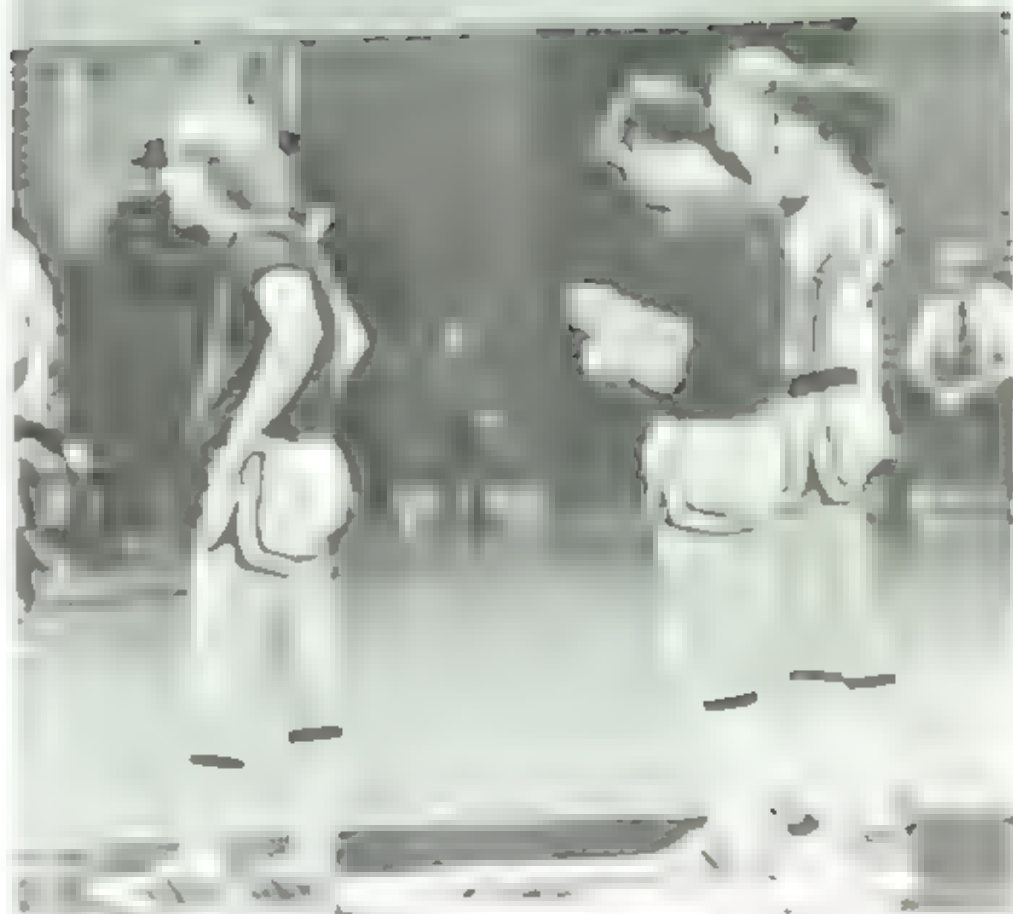
Donna Crabtree and Susie Counts served as scorekeepers for both teams, and Sandy Dixon and Belinda Nunley were managers. All girls' sports are sponsored by the Girls Athletic Association.



PICTURED (LEFT TO RIGHT): Pat Adkins, Carlotta Richards, Darlene Holden, Kathy Rankin, Abbey Jackson, Janice Williams
SECOND ROW: Scorekeeper Donna Crabtree, Laurie Duty, Donita Wagner, Patsy Owens, Karen Collehon, Kaelu Tolley, Scorekeeper Susie Counts, Coach Julia Carmichel

Varsity Basketball

The 1972-'73 edition of the John S. Battle Trojan basketball team is marked by a lack of height but an abundance of desire and aggressiveness. Led by senior guards Mike Bailey and Bo Snodgrass, the Trojan quint played larger and quicker opponents down to the wire before finally succumbing. Team depth and a pressing defense were instrumental in Battle's victory over Holston and the many other fine performances delivered by the Trojans.



Steve Robinson, Bo Snodgrass, Terry Dickson, Raymond Wilson, and Richard Draper are lined up before the game.



Back row (left to right): Carl Smith, Steve Robinson, Terry Dickson, Bo Snodgrass, Pat Fitzgerald, and Manager Sam Wagner. Front row (left to right): Mike Bailey, Pat Fitzgerald, Bo Snodgrass, Terry Dickson, Raymond Wilson, Mike Bailey, Pat Fitzgerald, and Manager Sam Wagner.

Varsity Basketball



Raymond Wilson Drives on Grady player



Donny Dye blocks Marion's shot

John Battle opened the season on the road with a 37-64 loss to Marion, but came back to beat Holston 53-47 in the following game. Bo Snodgrass was high scorer with 15 points.

In the next contest the Trojans lost a 43-61 decision to the much taller Gate City Blue Devils.

Against Abingdon, John Battle played its best game of the young season before finally losing 44-53 to the Falcons.



Bryan Yot shoots over the block

Varsity Basketball

Against Tennessee High the Trojans lost 40-82

In the last game before the Christmas break, the Trojans lost to Graham 43-62. Mike Bailey was high scorer with 19 points.

The Trojans played Patrick Henry in the Washington County Tournament. Battle lost 46-63.



Raymond Wilson prepares to take a pass



David Ingle pauses to talk to Coach Stevenson



Concentration



David Lee takes a rebound

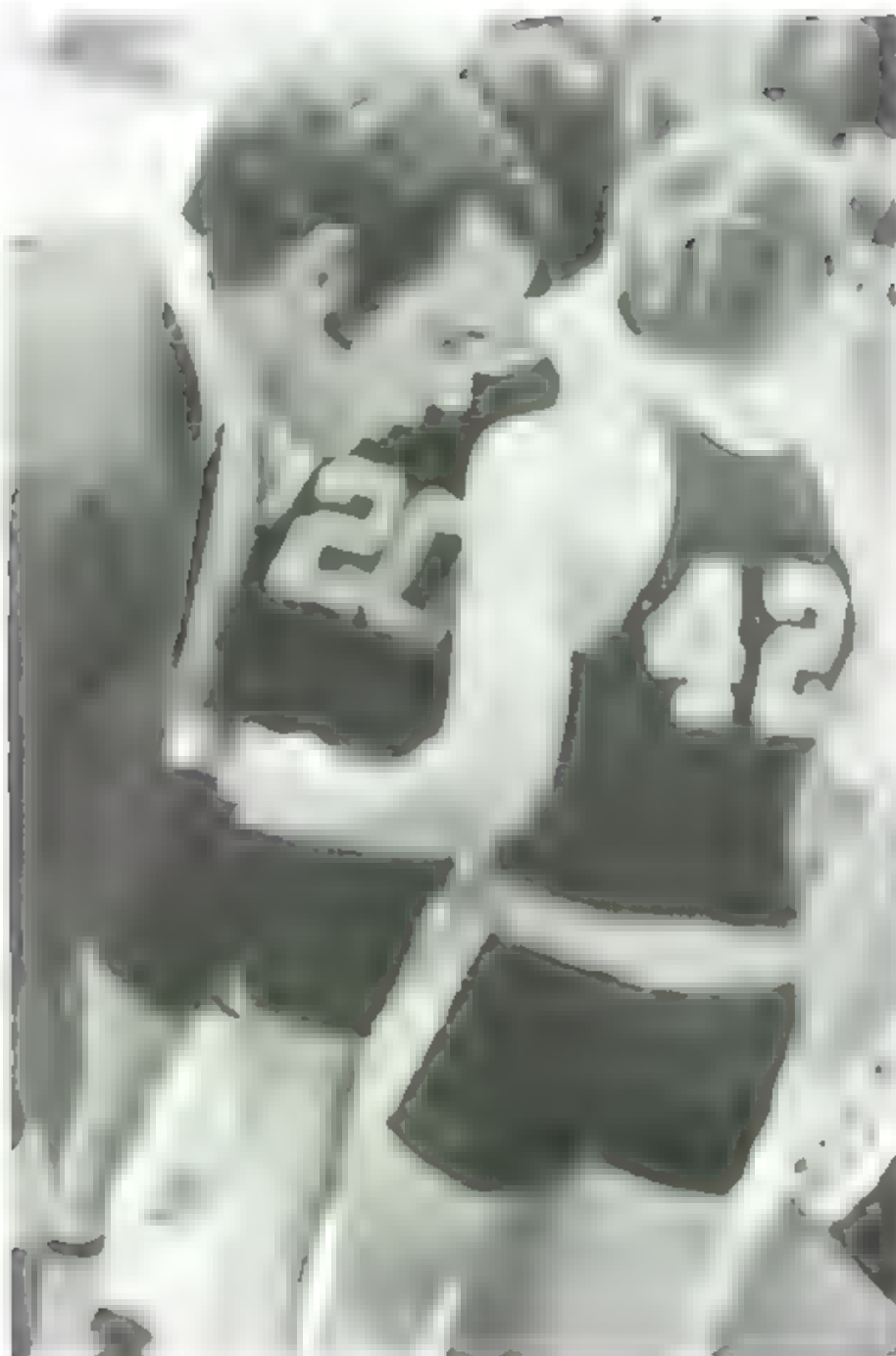


Mike Bobs draws foul



Gary Booth puts a hand on a Virginia player

Varsity Basketball



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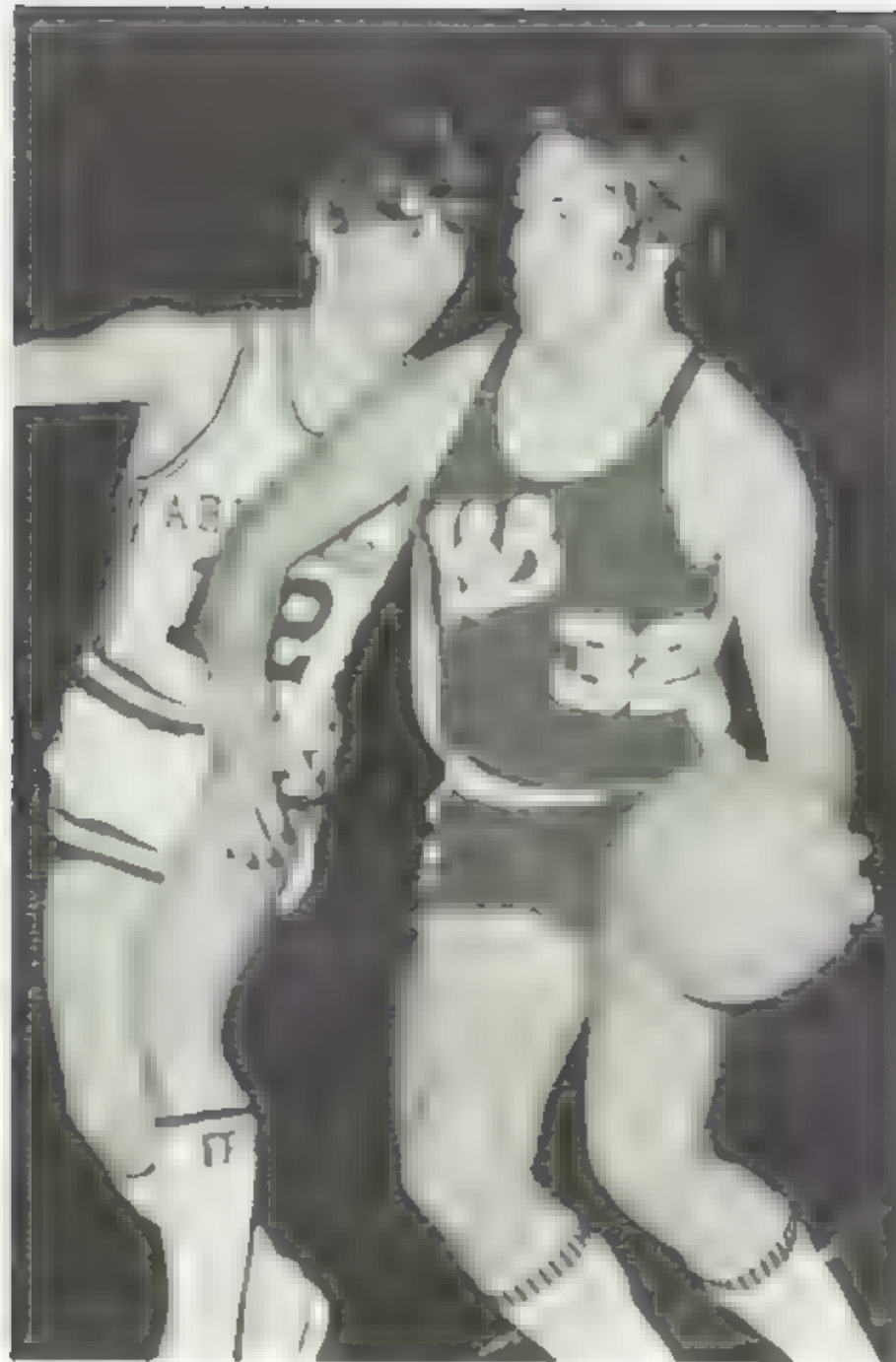


BO BRIDGRASS THROWS TO RAYMOND WILSON



DONNY DYE PULLS ONE DOWN

Varsity Basketball



Mark Draper drives in for two

The next game saw the Trojans fall to Grundy 30-71. They then lost to Virginia High 56-43.

When Marion came to Battle, Bo Snodgrass led all scorers before the Trojans lost 43-62.

The Trojans played best game before losing to Abingdon in the final minutes 45-56.

After losing to Patrick Henry 37-53, Battle dropped a 35-46 decision to Holston.

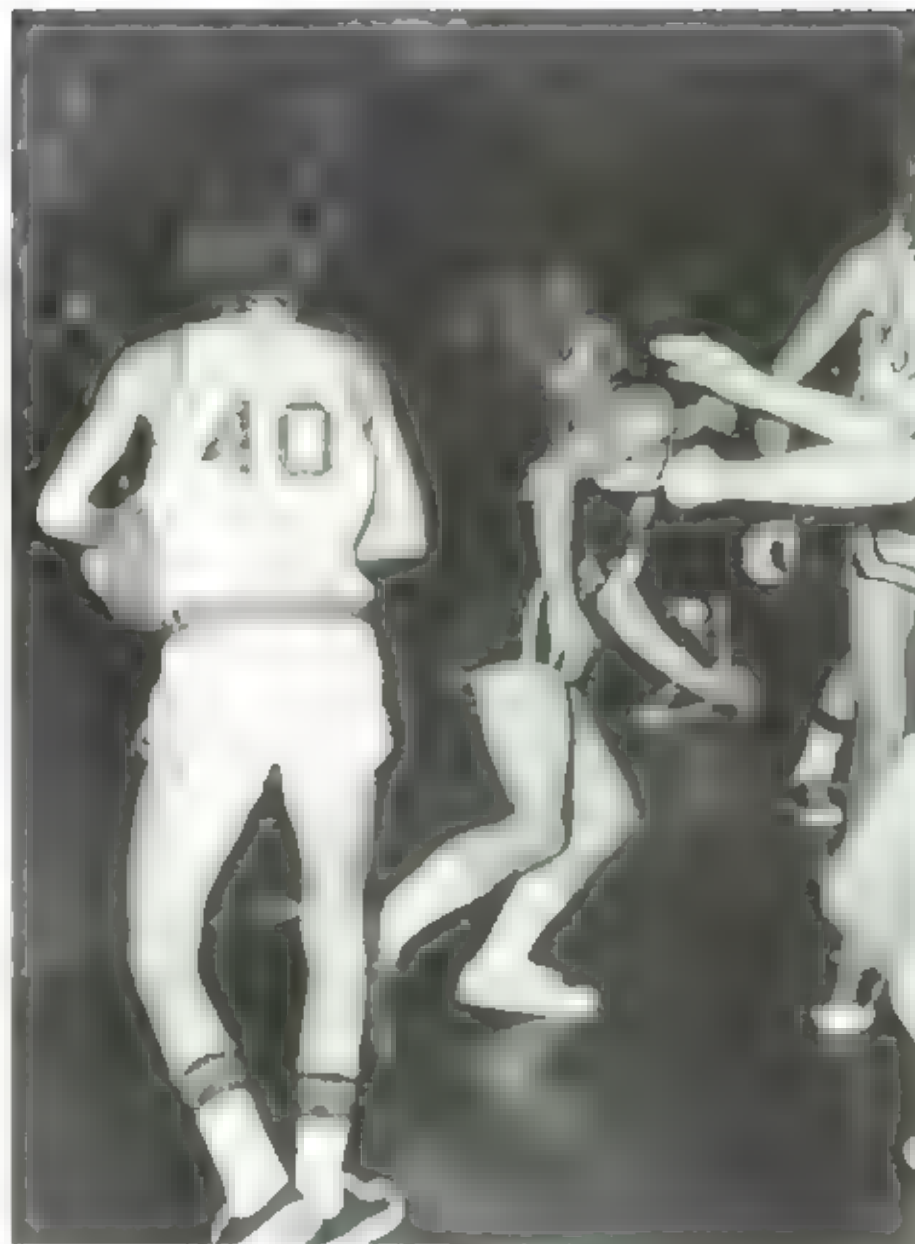
John Battle finished the season by hosting the Southwest District Tournament.



John Battle takes a time-out

J.V. Basketball

The J.V. basketball team finished the season with a 8-11 record. During the season three J.V.'s were promoted to the varsity squad. David Ingle, Larry Jenkins, and Mike Kennedy all had playing time with the varsity. After 15 games Craig Elsea was the leading J.V. scorer. Keith Farmer and Craig Elsea led the team in rebounds. The J.V.'s were coached by Mr. Howard Webb.



Keith Farmer controls a rebound



Pictured (LEFT TO RIGHT): Mike Noonkester, Larry Jenkins, Coach Webb, Darrell Messer, Kenny Groves. SECOND ROW: Jimmy Smith, Mike McNally, David Ingle, Steve Hurley, Greg Yoho, Keith Farmer, Ronnie Mullins.



Curtis shoots



Photo Mikes Decker



Gordon picks back to floor



Steve Hale tips the ball

Eighth and Ninth Grade Basketball

The ninth grade basketball team compiled a 2-5 record and gained some basic fundamentals in basketball. In the first game against Abingdon the freshman team lost 36-57. Phil Yon and Gordon Balthis led the scoring for Battle. Against Virginia High the Trojan's second half rally failed, and the Trojans lost 36-51.

Abingdon fell victim to the revenge-minded Trojans 47-26. Phil Yon scored 13 points to pace Battle in their come-from-behind victory. Battle then fell to Virginia High 31-45. Ricky Hughes was high with 15 points.

Against Tennessee High the freshmen lost 64-27. Jeff Kiser was high for Battle. Gate City beat Battle 79-32 in the following game.

The highlight of the season was the final game against Marion. Jeff Kiser and Copey Hicks caused three Marion turnovers and Copey hit three clutch foul shots to beat Marion 43-40. Copey Hicks was given the "Stakely Award" by his teammates for his outstanding performance.

Three players were promoted to the J.V. squad from the freshman team. Phil Yon, Gordon Balthis, and Ronnie Mullins moved up. The freshman team was coached by Mr. Joe Garrett who was assisted by John Sheffield.



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Eighth and Ninth Grade Basketball



PICTURED (LEFT TO RIGHT): Jeff Kiser, Gordon Balthis, Ricky Hughes, Tony Messer, Mark Stanley, Jack Weisenburger, Phil Yon, John Sheffield, and Copey Hicks



The eighth grade team under the direction of Coach Don Pridemore, compiled a 5-10 record. In the first game against Abingdon the eighth grade won 30-28 on a last minute free throw by Larry Lawless. The young Trojans lost 38-39 to Patrick Henry. Against Holston they lost 40-46. Larry Lawless led all scorers with 22 points. In two games with Virginia Junior High the Trojans lost twice, 19-40 and 31-48. Abingdon won 28-13, and Vance Junior High beat Battle 31-35 in another close game.

Against Saltville, the Trojans snapped their losing streak. David Pennington scored 18 points and Terry Leonard scored 16 to lead the eighth graders to a 19-34 victory.

In a big fourth quarter Battle beat Gate City 41-30, but lost to Marion 51-58. Against Vance they dropped a 17-25 decision and lost the return match with Gate City 21-51. Terry Leonard led Battle to a 36-32 victory with a 25 point performance against Patrick Henry, but the eighth grade team then lost to Marion 23-39. By beating Holston 36-33 the Trojans finished the season on a winning note.

Varsity Wrestling

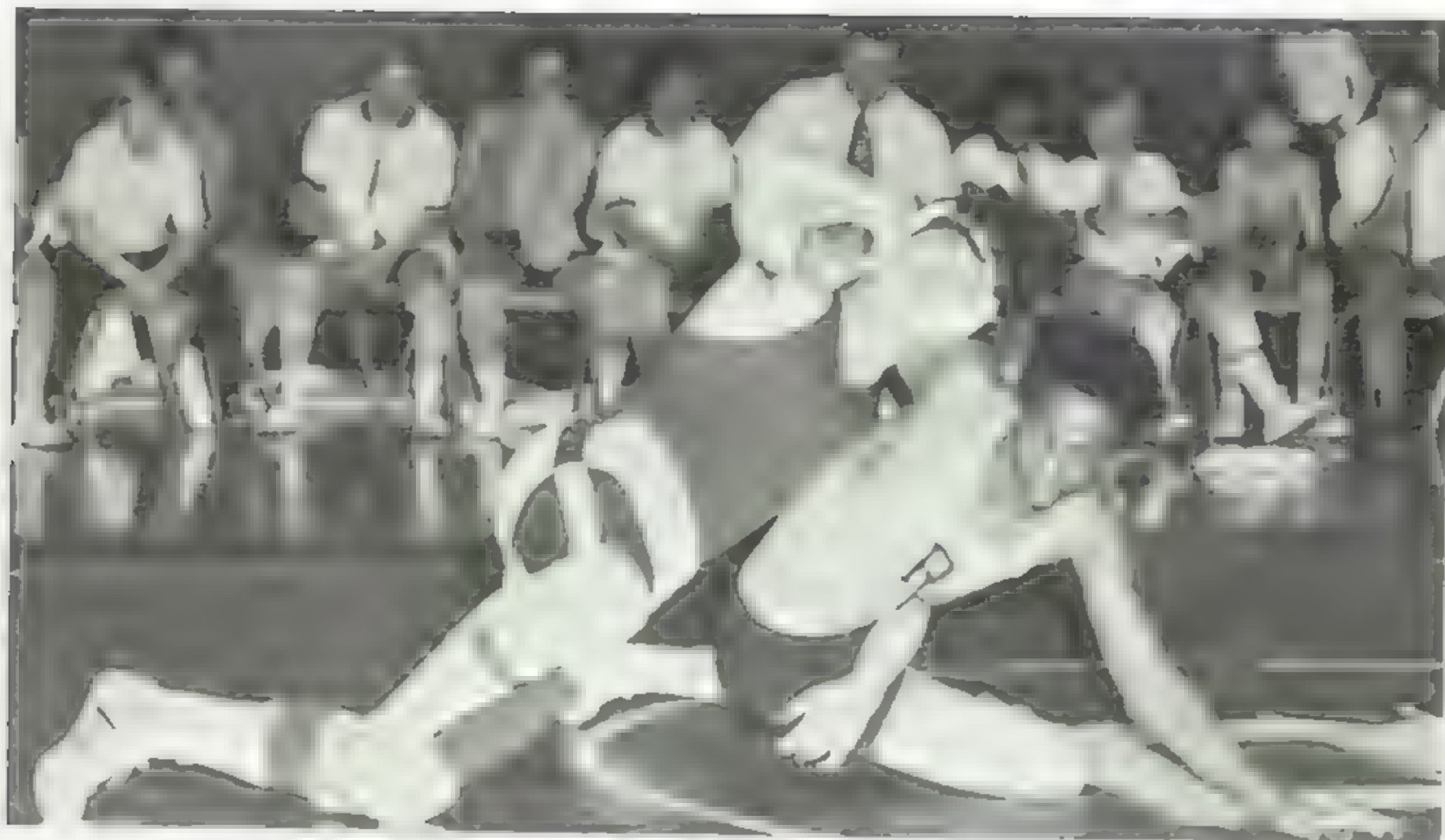
The 1972-73 wrestlers have a young team and will lose only three graduating seniors. Kemper Meade, Roland Henslee, and Neil Smith leave in June. The team is led by captain Kemper Meade and Coaches Jim Butcher and Ron Tallman. Last year the wrestlers sent four men to the state finals. Kemper Meade, Mike Bell, and Sam Bell competed, and Dennis Freese won the state championship in his weight division.



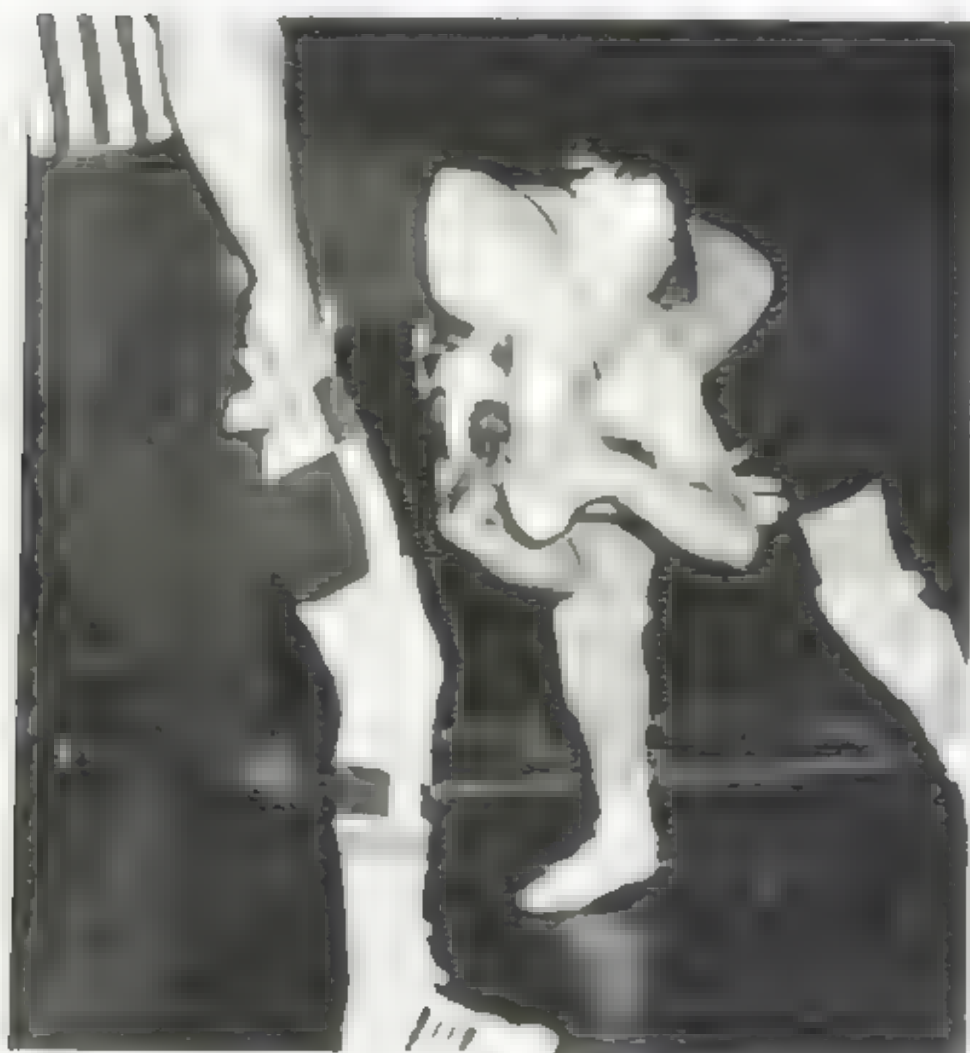
Dennis Freese — 1972 State Champion
112 Weight Division



BACK ROW (LEFT TO RIGHT): Larry Mabe, Benj. Phelps, Guy Yoho, Kemper Meade, Neil Smith, Dennis Parker, Larry Hardman, Mike Young. MIDDLE ROW: Coach Jim Butcher, Guy Yoho, Kemper Meade, Neil Smith, Dennis Parker, Larry Hardman, Mike Young, Paul Young. FRONT ROW: Coach Ronnie Tallman.



Kemp McCreight struggles to get up



Mike Bullock is a known one



Mike Young often is a reverse

Varsity Wrestling



Phelps captures a fall



Richard Houser pins an Abingdon wrestler

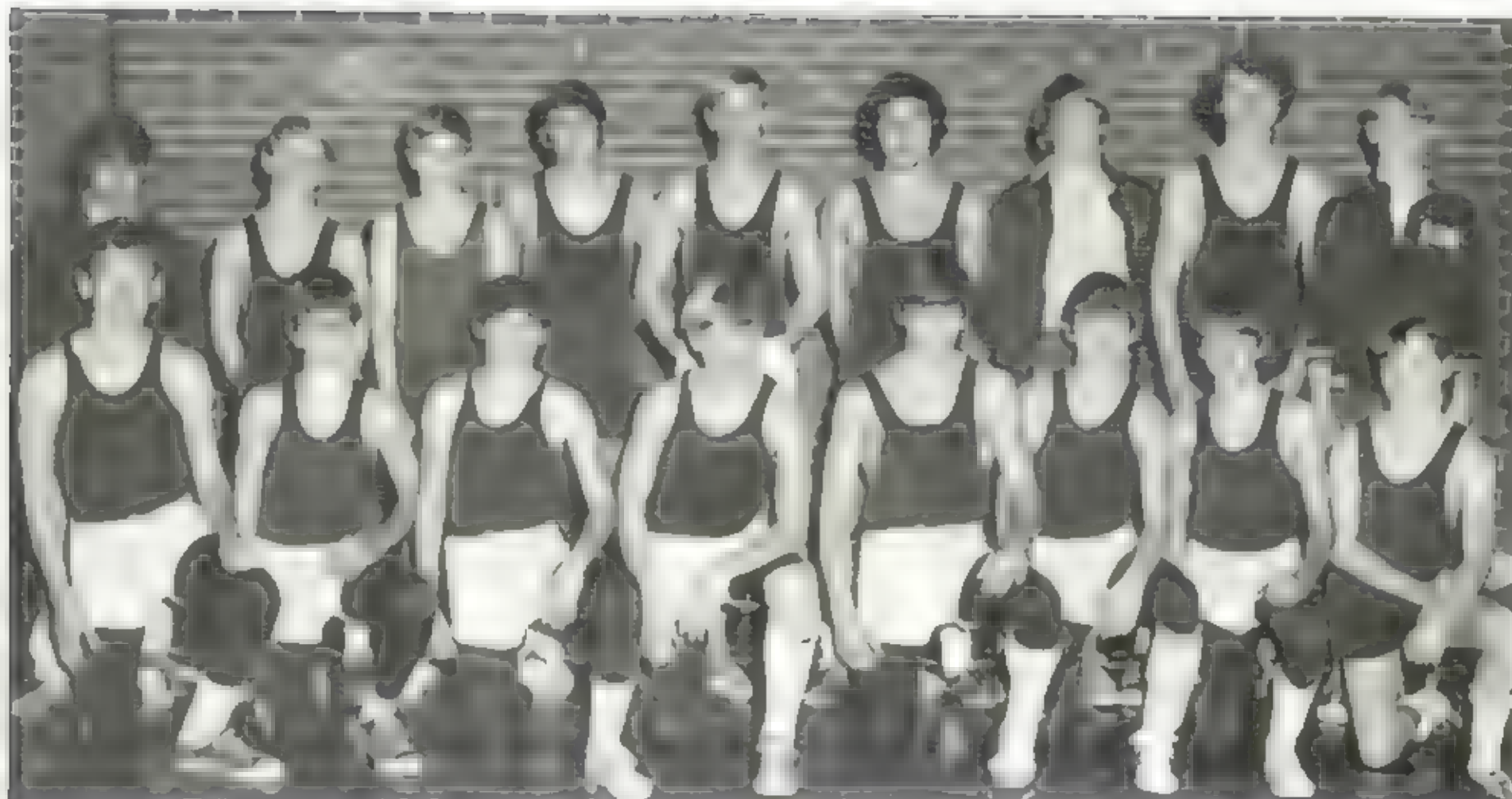


Houser captures a fall



Benjy Phelps rides opponent in route to victory

J.V. Wrestling



Pictured (LEFT TO RIGHT) Kneeling: Chester Mumpower, Jerald Bryant, Sandy Nash, Co-captains Gilmer Meade and Tim Carter, David Young, Tim Carter, SECON D ROW: Ricky Wright, Darrel Johnson, David Young, Mark Fades, Randy Boulton, David Leonard, Mark Dean, Mike Beece, and Mark Parsons.

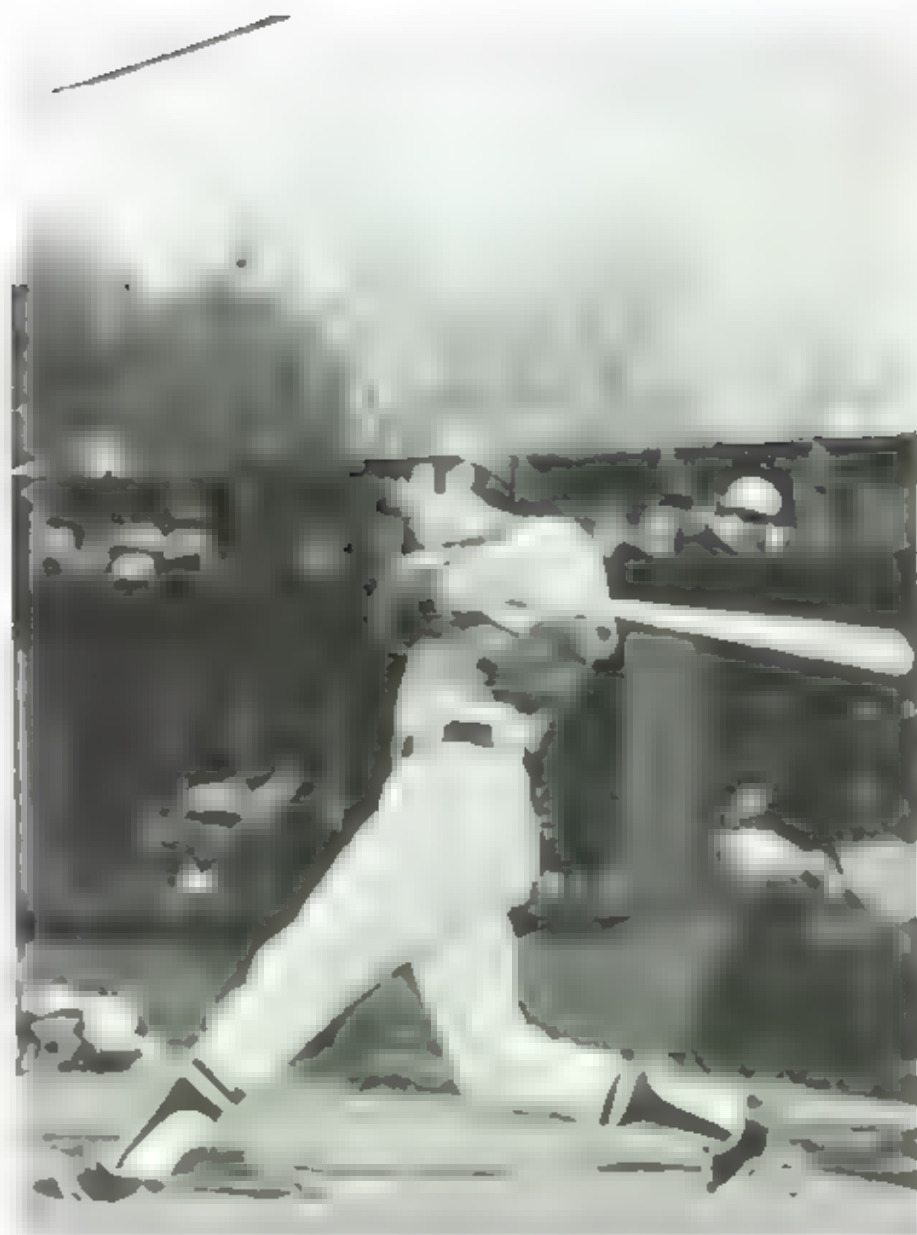


Richard Houser stands up to escape

The J.V. wrestlers begin all varsity matches with preliminary bouts and were undefeated in their J.V. matches. Gilmer Meade and Timmy Carter were co-captains of the J.V.'s, and Ron Tallman and Jim Butcher coaches.

Regional Champions!

Second in Southwest District



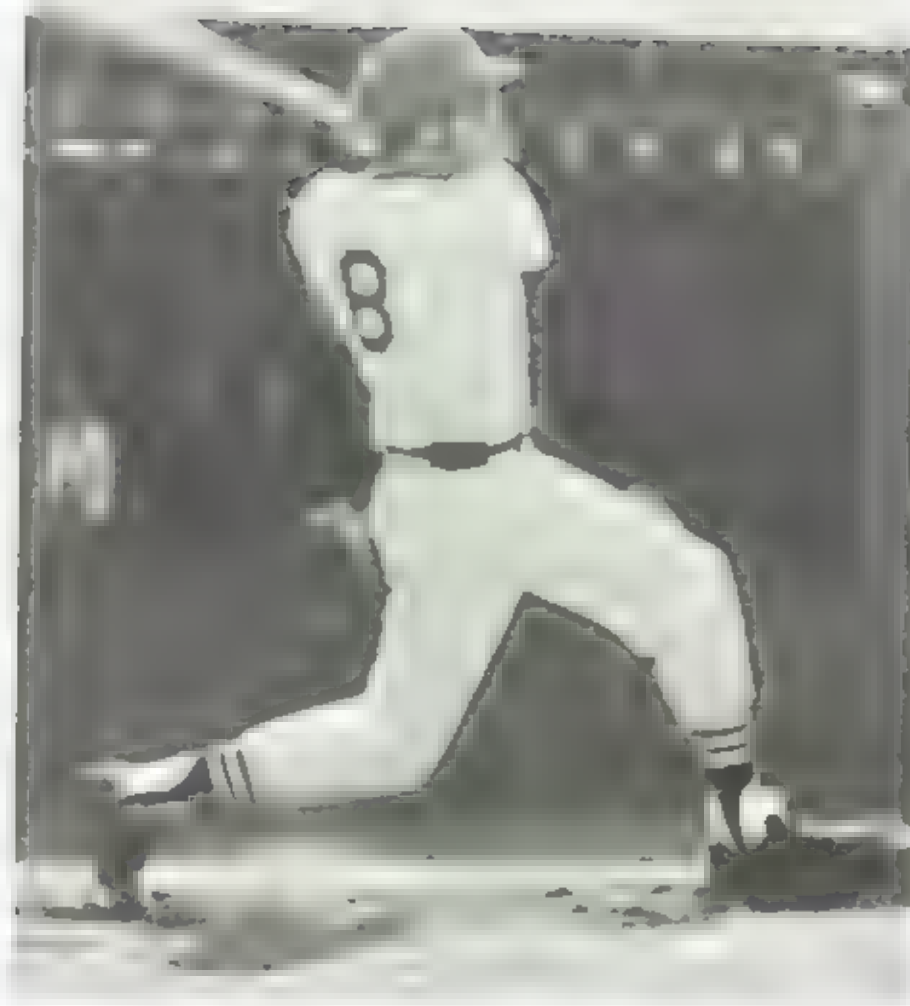
Mark Deppenwergs



FIRST ROW (PICTURED LEFT TO RIGHT) Managers Sam Wagner, Barry Helps, Jimmy D. Dean, Greg Yon. SECOND ROW: Left: McElroy, Ken Capozzi, Steve Wagerter, Darrell Messer, Kelly Callaway, Danny Day, Dale Mayler, Gale Leonard. THIRD ROW: Coach Trueman, Allen Green, Scott Rasmussen, Bo Scodgrass, Danny Akers, Jimmy Ross, Gary Butler, Brad Moore, Mark Draper, Coach Stephenson



Gary Boothe hurls for Battle



Good cut Danny!

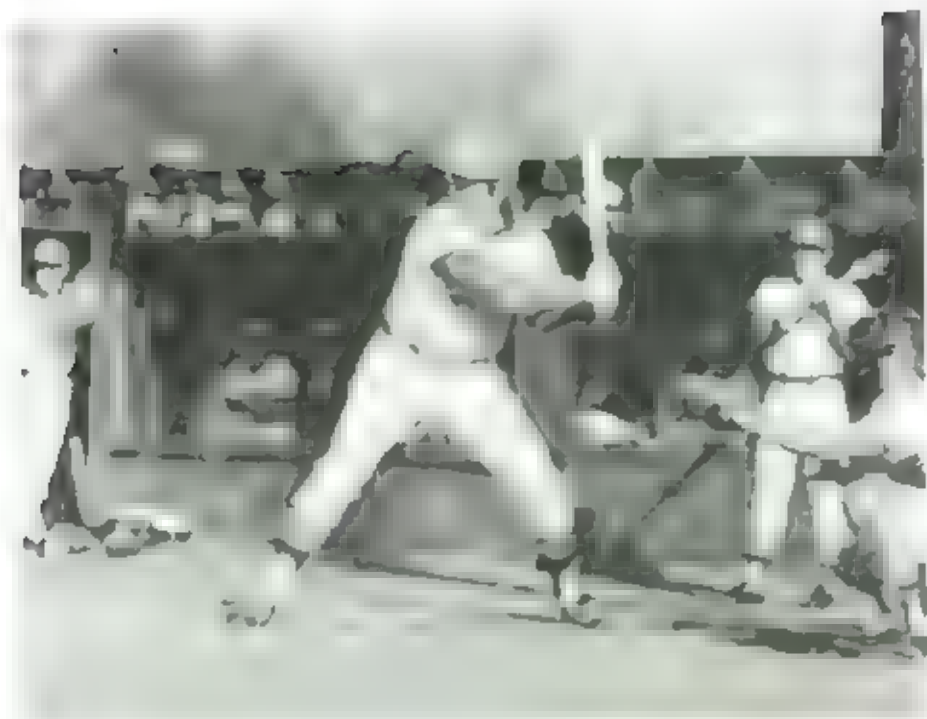


Scotty Rasnake waits on pitch

The 1972 baseball team was Battle's most successful baseball team ever, and the highest ranked Battle team of the year. The Trojans compiled a sterling 13-7 record

The highlight of the year came when the Trojans won the regional tournament held in Pulaski. On their journey to the top, the Trojans defeated Floyd County 8-6, and clinched the regionals with a 2-1 victory over Dublin

By virtue of winning the regional championship, Battle's baseballers were fourth in the state AA league



Johnny Ross stands in the box



Al Green pitches and hits against Dublin



Homerun"

Girls Track 1972

A new facet has been added to the ever-growing girls' athletic program at John S. Battle — track. The Trojan girls were undefeated in local competition. Teresa Hagy, Debbie Hawkins, Jo Bently, and Patty Gallimore formed the relay that placed 6th, and Lyn Sheffield won 3rd place in the high jump at the Regionals held at Roanoke College. Miss Carmichel is the coach of the girls' track team.



Sandy Dixon wins the shotput against Abingdon



Debbie Hawkins high jumps



Kathy Koch throws the shot



Pictured (LEFT TO RIGHT) Carol Adkins, Debbie Hawkins, Judy McNamera, Karen Balllas
SECOND ROW: Jo Benlev, Teresa Hagy, Patty Gallimore, Pat Adkins, Martha Lester, Kim Sanders, Darlene Holden **THIRD ROW:** Kim Davis, Kathy Koch, Lyn Sheffield, Patsy Owens, Lynn Neeves, Sandy Dixon

Golf 1972

The Trojan golf team, led by Coach Webb compiled a 17-11 record 1972

Post-season play saw Battle finish third in the Big "5" Tournament

Three Trojans qualified for the regional tournament held in Marion. Mark Wingate shot an 83, Tim Tabor an 83, and Craig Milhorn was low ith an 82

Battle lost no senior golfers and is looking forward to an outstanding 1973 season



Steve Vickers averaged 86.1 strokes



Mark Wingate was low for the year with an 82.2 average



Doug Mills averaged 85.3 for the year



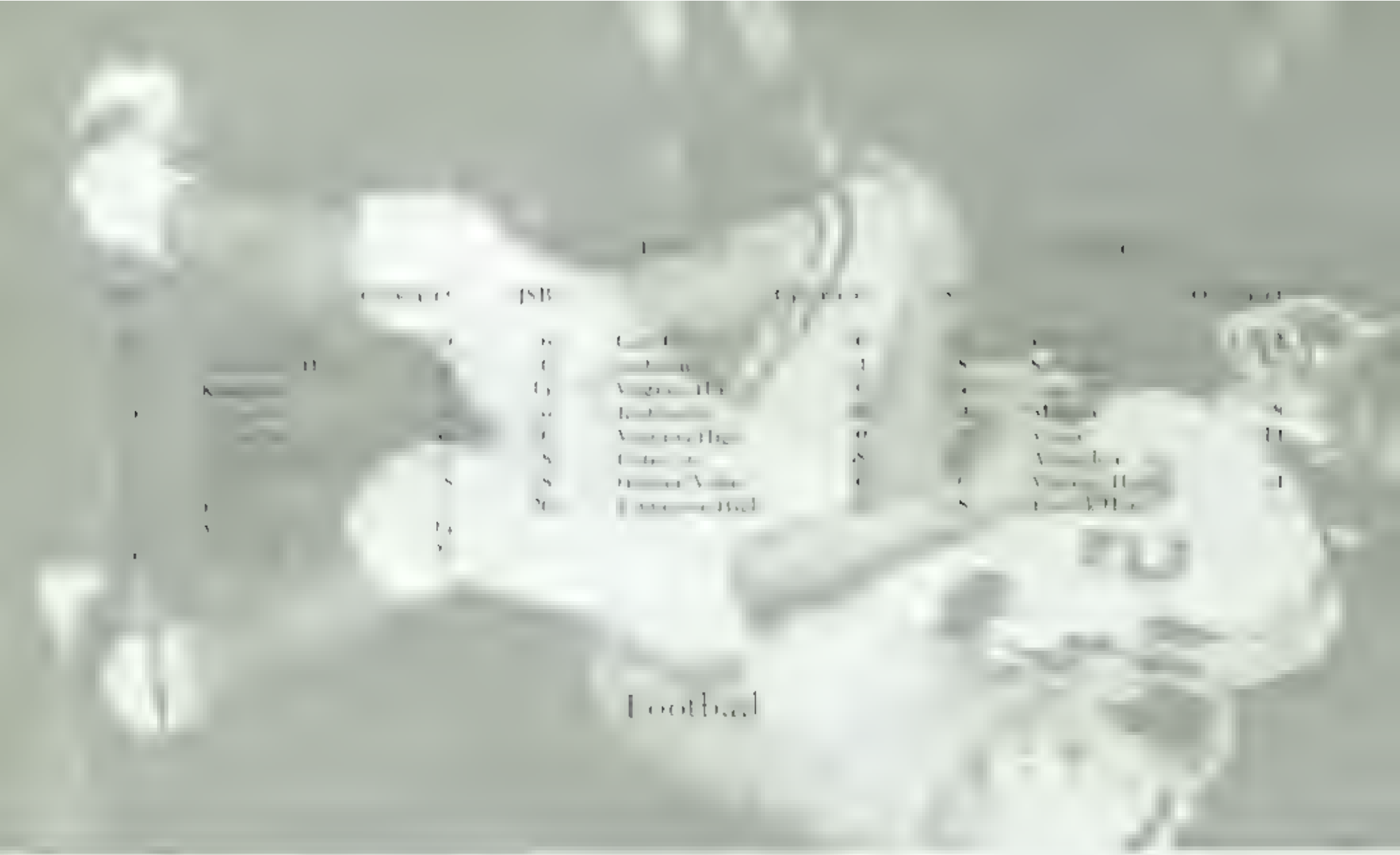
Craig Milhorn shot the years low-73.



Tim Tabor qualified for the regionals



Pictured LEFT TO RIGHT: Craig Milhorn, Steve Vickers, Doug Miles, Tim Tabor, Mark Wingate, and Carl Webb



Score	JSB	Opponent	Score	Opponent
10	1	East	10	East
11	1	West	1	West
12	1	Virginia Hill	1	Virginia Hill
13	1	East	1	East
14	1	Virginia Hill	1	Virginia Hill
15	1	East	1	East
16	1	Virginia Hill	1	Virginia Hill
17	1	East	1	East
18	1	Virginia Hill	1	Virginia Hill
19	1	East	1	East
20	1	Virginia Hill	1	Virginia Hill

Football



Wrestling



Girls Basketball

Varsity

JSB	Opponent	JSB	Opponent
	Marion	61	4
	Holston	47	4
	Gate City	61	40
	Abingdon	53	37
	Tennessee	87	37
	Graham	62	47
	Patrick Henry	63	37
	Grundy	71	45

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SB	Opponent	JSB	Opponent
30	Marion	49	Patrick Henry
40	Holston	39	Abingdon
36	Gate City	35	Grundy
37	Abingdon	40	Virginia
30	Tennessee	28	Marion
11	Graham	27	Abingdon

Freshman

JSB	Opponent	JSB	Opponent
	Abingdon	37	30
	VJHS	37	38
	Abingdon	26	40
	VJHS	45	19
	Vance	64	28
	Gate City	79	33
17	Marion	40	30

Eight Grade

JSB	Opponent	JSB	Opponent
	Abingdon	28	
	Patrick Henry	30	
	Holston	46	
	VJHS	40	
	Abingdon	15	
	VJHS	48	
	Vance	35	

Basketball

Varsity I

JSB	Opponent
61	Tennessee H
69	Donnet Boone
178	Patrick Henry
170	Saltville
69	Holston
69	East
69	Saltville
140	Virginia High
39	Marion
114	Abingdon
115	Patrick Henry
182	Virginia High
182	East
182	Kingsport
182	Abingdon
182	Central
182	Virginia High
182	Tennessee High
182	Marion
182	Abingdon
182	Marion

Golf

Vars

JSB	Opponent
53	Virginia High
53	Marion
53	Abingdon
53	Graham
53	Patrick Henry
1	Holston
1	Tennessee
0	Abingdon
6	Virginia
9	Gate City
12	Holston
14	Saltville
2	Patrick Henry
1	Patrick Henry
1	Abingdon
0	East
1	Virginia
11	Gate City
11	Rich Valley
1	Marion
1	Marion
1	Abingdon Play-off
8	Floyd County (Ch)
2	Dublin Regional
3	Funstall State

Baseball

Varsity Track

The 1972 track team was successful in achieving its goals. Under the direction of head coach Charles Gregory and assistant Phil Robbins the team finished third in district competition.

In the district meet at Patrick Henry, Donny Dye took first place in the 880. Gary Boothe placed second in the discus and Marion Warren placed second in the 880 and the mile run. Don Kiser, Larry Phillips, Donny Dye, and Ike Anderson composed the mile relay which won first in the district meet.

In regional competition, Donny Dye was third in the 880 and in the mile relay placed fifth.



Donny Dye won the district 880 yard run with a time of 2:05.1



Don Kiser broke the Southwest District pole vault record with a 12' 5" jump

Varsity Track



Gary Boothe holds the school shot record



Vernon Caron holds the school record in the 2 mile run



Dennis Jones, Mike Venable, and Pat Fitzgerald were leading scorers last year

Varsity Cheerleaders



Debbie Collins-Captain
Senior



Debbie Gunning
Senior



Karen Balthis
Junior



Pictured (LEFT TO RIGHT): Carol Adkins, Beth Snodgrass,
Captain, Karen Balthis, Debbie Hawkins, and Debbie Gunning

The varsity cheerleaders worked throughout the practice during the summer in preparation for the camp with all blue ribbons and the spirit stick numerous hours making signs, cheering for varsity other projects. The cheerleaders are sponsored by



Beth Snodgrass
Junior

Varsity Cheerleaders



Judy McNamara, Debbie Collins-Captain, Adina Stanley-Co-

year to fire up the spirit at Battle. They began upcoming games and camp. They returned from for the week. During the school year, they spent games, and creating school spirit through various Miss Susan Edmondson.



Adina Stanley-Co-Captain
Senior



Debbie Hawkins
Junior



Judy McNamara
Junior



Carol Adkins
Junior

J.V. Cheerleaders



1972-73 J.V. CHEERLEADERS. BOTTOM ROW — Capt. Kim Kennedy — Co-Captain Debbie Johnson — and Lori Branson. TOP ROW — Becky Young, Kim Kennedy — Capt. Debbie Johnson — co-captain — and Lori Branson.

The Junior Varsity Cheerleaders had an exciting year. During the summer, they attended Tennessee Tech University Cheerleading Camp for the third consecutive year. While competing with approximately eight hundred high school cheerleaders they came home bearing two red and two blue ribbons, along with the precious spirit stick. Throughout the year, they have cheered for J.V. football, J.V. basketball, and girls' basketball games. They have also taken an active part in Homecoming week, pep rallies, and other school spirit related activities. The J.V.'s of 1972-73, sponsored by Mrs. Steven King, have had a hectic yet memorable year.



Kim Kennedy 1972-73 Captain
Debbie Johnson — Co-Captain



1927 Miss C. C. Martin





Highlights

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Students enjoy dancing to a great band!

Prom



The 1972 Junior-Senior Prom was held April 29th at the Holiday Inn Convention Center. "We've Only Just Begun" served as theme.

Refreshments anyone?



I wonder who's enjoying themselves the most?

Miss John Battle



Mrs. Graham Hunsucker and Mr. Wayne Shelley, P.T.S.A. officers, instruct girls of pageant procedures

RIGHT: Contestants await decision of judges
Pictured (LEFT TO RIGHT): Sharon Mays,
Rhonda Jones, Debbie Hawkins, Loretta Due
kett, Polly Cooper, Juanita Burress, Lori Bran
son, and Kathy Barrett



Miss John Battle



Susan Moser, first annual Miss John Battle

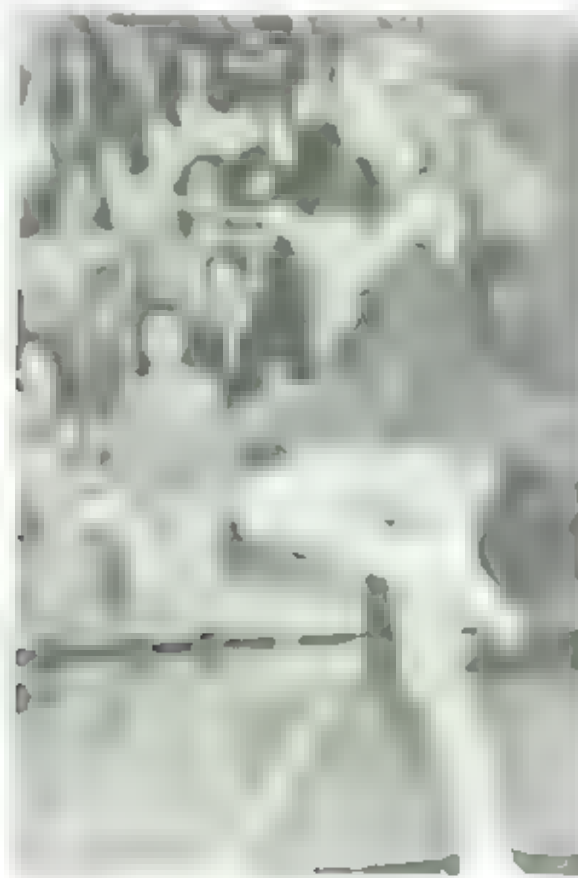
The first annual Miss John Battle Pageant, sponsored by the P T S A, was held in the school auditorium on March 18, 1972. Miss Susan Moser was named Miss John Battle with Michelle Townsend, 1st runner-up; Vera Jessee, 2nd runner-up; Jean Neese, 3rd runner-up; and Becky Stringer, 4th runner-up. Mrs. Reba June Green served as Mistress of Ceremonies.



Five semi-finalists

Assemblies

Trojans enjoyed numerous assemblies this year. A Programs and Observances Committee, headed by Mrs. Jan Derting, worked with Mr. Farnsworth in arranging and scheduling various assemblies.



Pam Harrison twirls at pep assembly



Geoff Harter performs with Sullins College dancers



Band presents concert.



Ike Anderson prepares for introduction of homecoming candidates



Miss Washington County 1972 — Janet Orey

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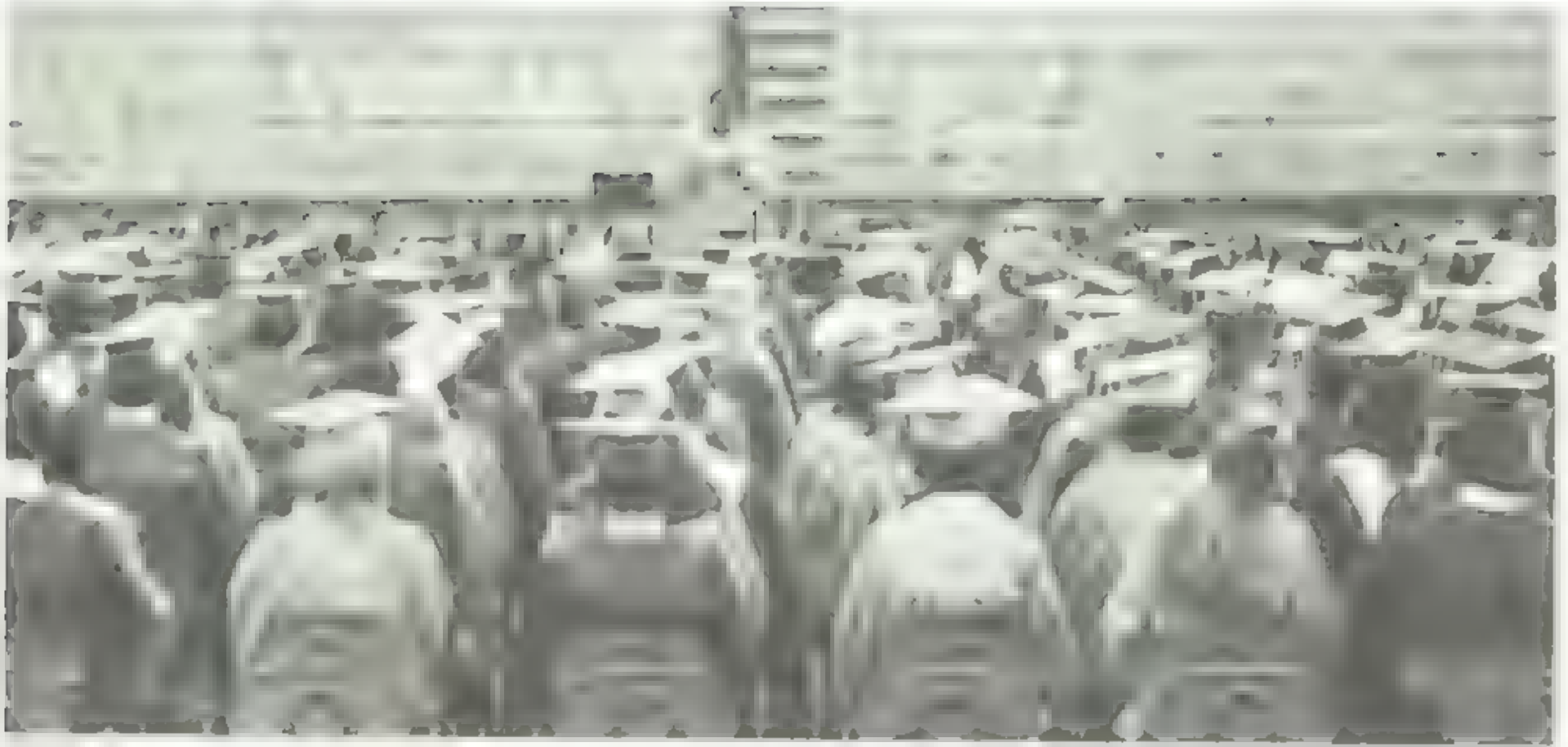


C. Fred Colby receives diploma



The Senior Class of 1972

Graduation



Mr. Farnsworth addresses class



Valedictorian Gail Countiss

Two hundred-five students were graduated from Battle High School June 1, 1972, at the John S. Battle stadium. Principal Richard T. Farnsworth, assisted by Assistant Principal William L. Halstead, awarded the diplomas. Gail Countiss served her class as valedictorian and Alicia Cole as salutatorian.

Homecoming



Student Donald Jr. S. at work



G. A. A. decorations tie for first place

Homecoming Decorations

This year the S. C. A. sponsored a homecoming decorations contest in which all clubs were encouraged to decorate designated areas of the school. S. C. A. President Ike Anderson announced the winners at a special homecoming pep rally. G. A. A., B-Club, and F. H. A. tied for first place, and names of the winning clubs were printed on a trophy to be placed in a show case. Honorable mentions were awarded the Library Club, Civinettes, Civilians, F. F. A., Jr. Science, Spanish, Art, and Pep Clubs.



B-Club members show their spirit



Miss Debbie McCroskey — 8th Grade
Escorted by Mr. Billy Moore



Miss Lori Branson — 9th Grade
Escorted by Mr. Mike Bailey



Miss Kim Kennedy — 10th Grade
Escorted by Mr. Chuck Cox

Battle's homecoming queen and court were presented at half-time of the homecoming game. The girls were nominated by homerooms, and selected by the majority vote of the student body. This activity is sponsored by the S C A

Homecoming



Miss Debbie Taylor-11th grade
Escorted by Mr. Ricky Taylor



Miss Carolyn Gallimore-12th grade
Escorted by Mr. Steve Breedlove



Miss Vonne Edwards-12th grade
Escorted by Mr. Butch McCloud



1972 Homecoming Queen Miss Corey Fidos



1st runner-up-Miss Darlene Sharrett
Escorted by Mr. David Young



2nd runner-up-Miss Debbie Gunning
Escorted by Mr. Chris Long

Twirp Week



Cathy Barker caught Daryl Sproles while he wasn't looking!

Twirp Week was held December 4-9. The girls had their chance to hook their favorite guy throughout the week. Monday night was designated as movie night, Tuesday as ballgame night, Wednesday as bowling night, Thursday as ballgame night, and Friday as ballgame night. The week was topped off with the excitement of the Christmas ball. Music was provided by "Open Road." The weekly activities were sponsored by the F.H.A. and S.C.A.



May I have the next dance?

Miss Phoenix



Miss Phoenix — Miss Pam Harris

This year's Miss Phoenix was selected by Free Fare, a well known rock band who entertained the student body in concert this year. Band members Gary Kapeo, Wayne Anderson and Steve Thomas selected Miss Phoenix and her three runners up on the basis of photogenic qualities and natural beauty.

Only senior girls were eligible for competition. Each entry submitted two of her senior pictures. The contest is sponsored annually by the Phoenix staff.



First Runner Up — Edwina Fleenor



Second Runner Up — Debbie Collins



Third Runner Up — Janet Burnett

Senior Superlatives



Most Likely to Get Caught
Sharon Hayes and Steve Compton



Cutest Couple
Jo Ann Robinson and
Bobby Williams



Best All Around
Gail Shankel and Ike Anderson



Best Looking
Bryan Yoho and Karen Savinsky

Senior Superlatives



Most School Spirit
Janet Burnett and Terry Dickson



Best Dressed
Teresa Kilby and Mark Wingate



Most Likely to Succeed
Kay Carter and Jack Wagner

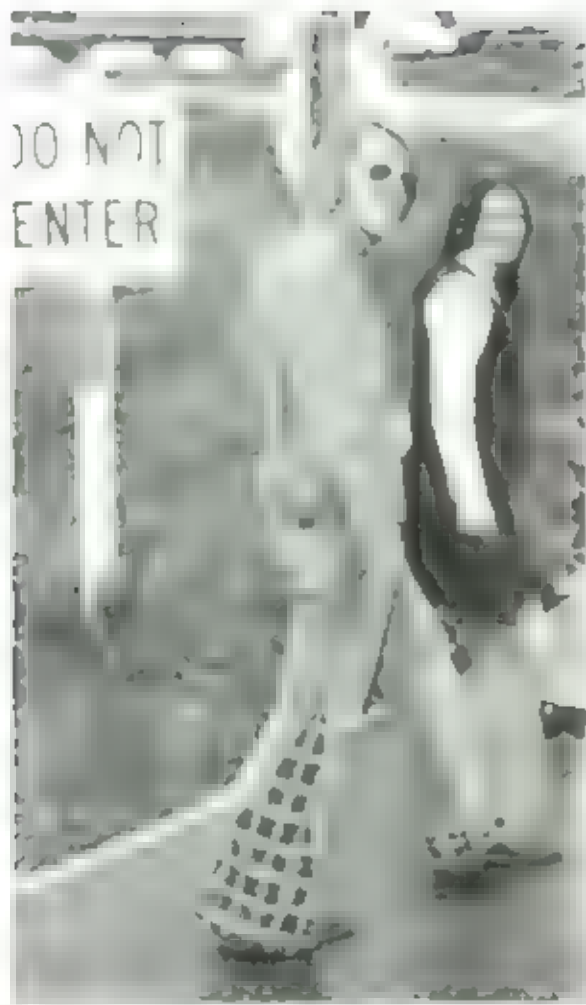


Most Studious
Lyle Parker and Kathy Fraser

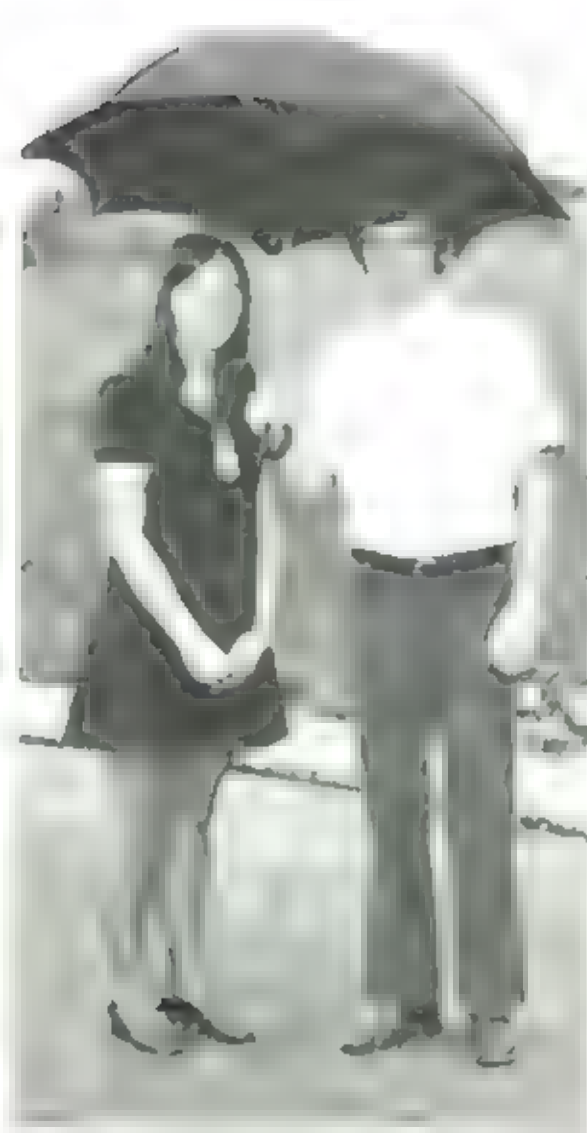
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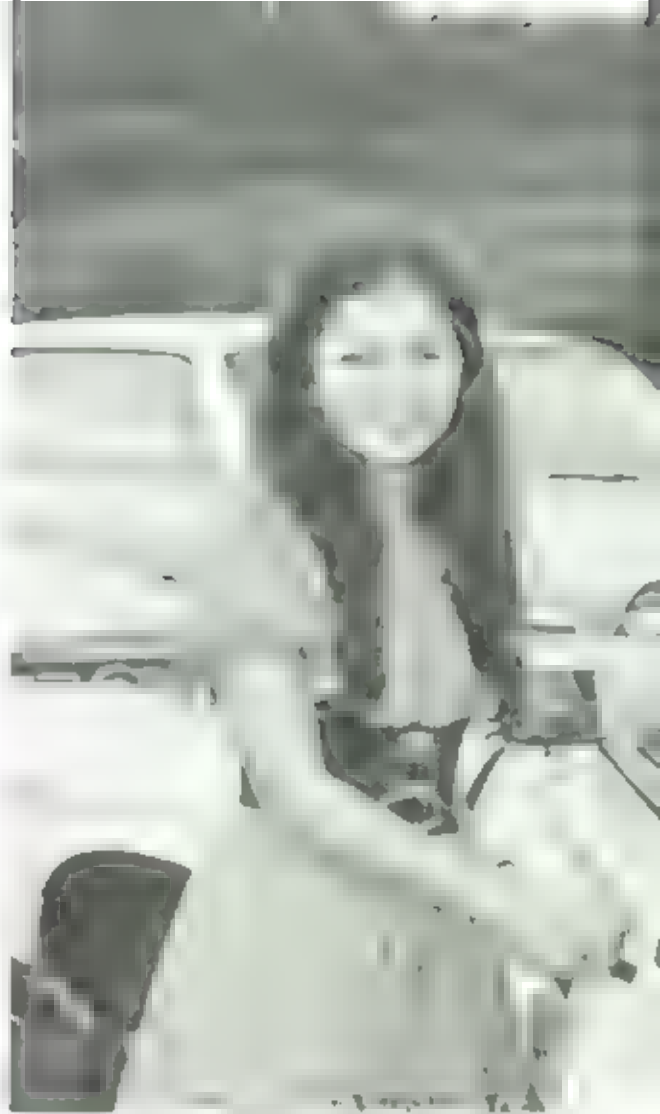
Most Athletic
Roland Henslee and Kathy Koch



Wittiest
David Young and Elaine Williams



Most Optimistic
Teresa Wright and Donny Dye



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Senior Superlatives



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David Hunsaker



Most Pessimistic
Linda Warden and Gale Leonard



Most Talented
Greg Hutchins and Celeste Tuell



Most Popular
Debbie Collins and Mike Bailey



Friendliest
Steve Robinson and Angela Smith

Seniors

Because of the late arrival of these pictures, these seniors could not be pictured in the Senior Section.



Terry Dickson



Greg Elenor



Tim Hall



Jim Barless



Doug Hawthorne



Sharon Hayne



Roland Henslee



Mike Hobbs

PATRICK TERRY DICKSON — Jr. Science 8, 9, Jr. Civitan 9, Key Club 10-12, Treasurer 12, B-Club 11-12, Physics Club 12, S.C.A. 8-12, Football 10-12, Basketball 9-12, Track 11-12, Senior Superlative — Most School Spirited

GREG WAYNE ELENOR — D.F. 9, S.C.A. 8-12

TIM WAYNE HALL — S.C.A. 8-12, 4-H 8, F.F.A. 9-12, Vice President 11, F.F.A. Bob Anderson Award 11

JIMMY DARRELL HAPLESS — B-Club 11, S.C.A. 10-12, Wrestling 10-11

DOUG HAWTHORNE — S.C.A. 9-12, Wrestling 9-11, B-Club 11-12

SHARON HAYNES — F.F.A. 12, Bible Club 12, 1-H 10-12, Pep Club 12, F.H.A. 8-9-11, Senior Superlatives — Most Likely to get Caught

RONALD HENSLEE, JR. — B-Club 9-12, S.C.A. 9-12, Science Club 9-10, F.F.A. 12, Football 9-12, Basketball 9-11, Track 9-12, Wrestling 12, Class Historian 12, Senior Superlative — Most Athletic

MICHAEL JAMES HOBBS — F.F.A. 8-12, Forestry Award 10

GREGORY RAY HUTCHINS — Key Club 11-12, B-Club 12, Class Treasurer 9, Football 8-11, Senior Superlative — Most Talented

CARL BERNARD JESSEE — Annual Staff 10-12, N.H.S. 10-12

KAREN SUSANNE SAVINSKY — Art Club 10-11, Secretary 11, Volleyball 10, Gym Show 10, Cyranettes 12, Senior Superlative — Best Looking

ZELDA YVONNE SNODGRASS — V.I.C.A. Club 12



Greg Hutchins



Carl Jessee



Karen Savinsky



Zelda Snodgrass



Vonnie Edwards — Editor-in-Chief

The Phoenix Staff has captured some of the moments that will be only memories after this year. These memories are constant reminders of our days at John S. Battle. This year's **Phoenix** is definitely a sign of 1973.

It takes an annual staff to make an annual. Any staff can produce an annual, but it takes outside interest as well to produce the "special" annual that every staff hopes for. This year through the special help, interest, and diligent cooperation of many different people, we feel that we have produced an annual with a new approach. The 1973 **Phoenix** Staff wishes to sincerely thank everyone who worked with us so patiently. A very special thanks go to

Miss Penny Vermillion for her endless patience, extra hours, and constant concern. Without her this 1973 **Phoenix** could not be possible.

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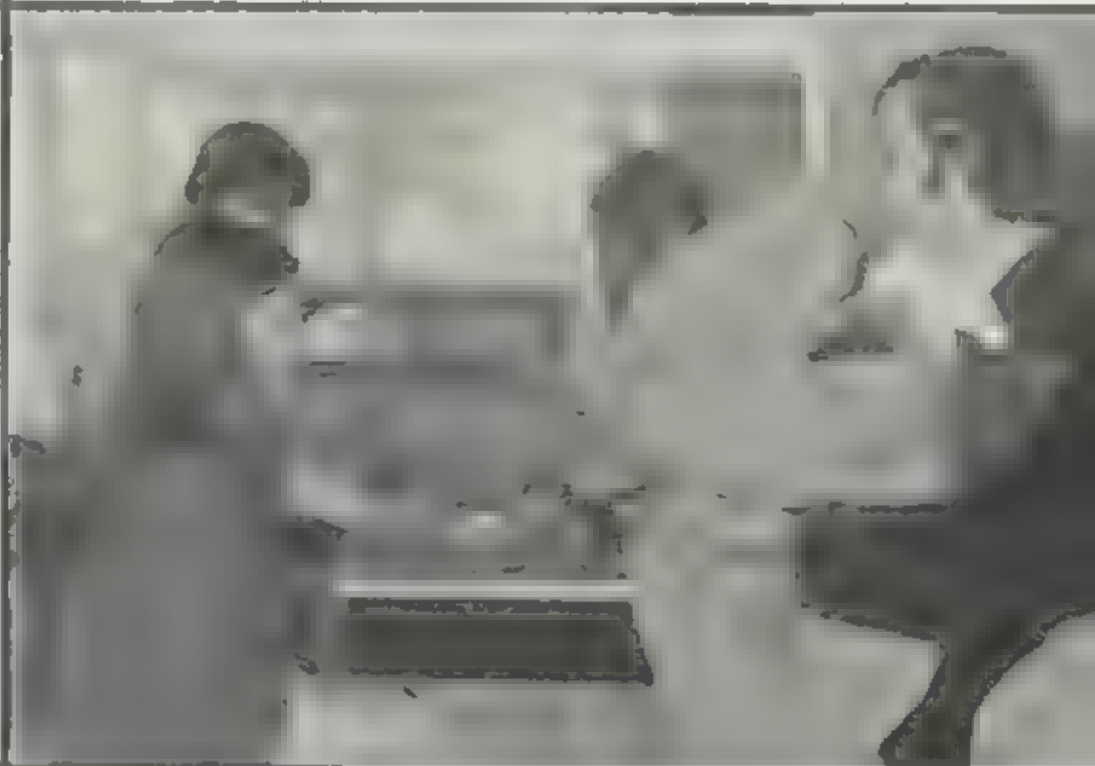
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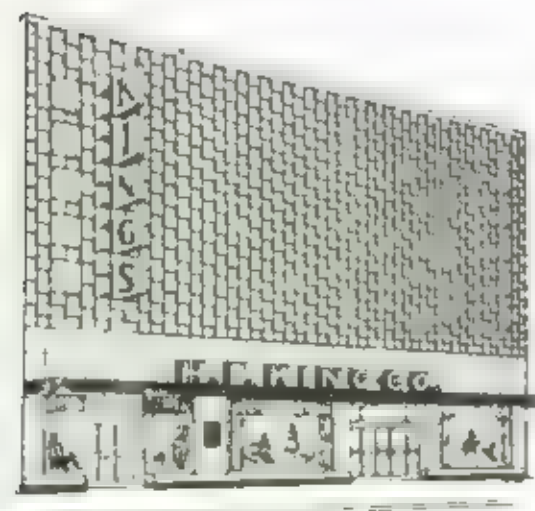
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